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Original Tree Strain of Stark Delicious

SOLD ONLY BY STARK BRO'S

Iowa's State Monument to Original Stark Delicious Tree

Though over 50 years old, this Original Stark Delicious Tree bore a crop that astonished horticulturists who attended Iowa's Dedication of the Monument. (See above.) As Iowa inscribed on monument, the "Sole right to Propagate" from this ORIGINAL TREE was and IS PERPETUALLY STARK BRO'S property EXCLUSIVELY.

We continually RENEW our propagation from this ORIGINAL TREE that has withstood the severe 40 degrees below zero weather and long Iowa "dry spells" and still thrives. **Never missed a crop, except one year when ALL apples failed.** Our ORIGINAL TREE strain of Stark Delicious trees is always close to the ORIGINAL TREE—and inherits ALL its remarkably hardy, vigorous, disease-resistant and heavy annual bearing habits.

That's **WHY** experienced fruit growers won't waste time, money or land on anything other than the ORIGINAL TREE Strain of Stark Delicious. (See Pages 6 to 9.)

Stark Bro's Nurseries

at Louisiana, Mo.

For Over 109 Years

Stark's Golden Delicious

18 Month's Old Mo. Top Graft of *Golden Delicious* Bearing Big Crop. *World's Record* for Young, Full Bearing. Photo Below.

Stark's Golden Delicious

3 Loaded Limbs—Actual Photos

29 Big Apples on a Measured 14 Inches at Top This Limb of Stark's Golden Delicious to left. Bore "Thick as They Could Stick" every year; never fails. Bore heavily this season when all others near it failed—after 2 Freezes and 3 Frosts; worst year ever known. Wonderful Flavor. 50% larger than Grimes Golden. Grown in Central West.

$5,583.00 Crop from Less Than 2 Acres Stark's Golden Delicious Trees

This Photo Shows One of the 130 Trees That Bore 1220 Bushels

The American Fruit Growers, Inc., the Largest Orchardists in the World (Headquarters at Pittsburgh, Penna.), informed us on October 24 (this season) that their Stark's Golden Delicious made "a Record for the Rest of the Fruit World to Shoot at."

This Fall they harvested 1,220 (Twelve Hundred and Twenty) packed boxes of Stark's Golden Delicious from these 130 trees on less than 2 acres. **They sold this crop for $5,583.00 f. o. b. cars—an average of $4.57 per bushel box!**

This gave them a net income of $42.95 per tree—or nearly $3,000.00 per acre.

"We have closely observed the Stark's Golden Delicious variety," they write, "for the past five years. Stark's Golden Delicious is the heaviest bearing of all commercial varieties, even heavier than Rome Beauty, Black Ben or Ben Davis. The trees are strong and healthy, apparently quite frost resistant and **they bear a commercial load of high quality fruit on one year wood,** being the **only variety** that does this. **The apples never get mealy.** We are **particularly pleased with the Size and Quality of the fruit.** This crop was 71-8/10 per cent Extra Fancy. 46-6/10 per cent of the apples ran 64 apples to the bushel or larger." (64's to the bushel are 12 inches in circumference and very few varieties grow to such a large size.)

The "Supreme Court" of the Fruit World
Gives Highest Award in History to
Stark's Golden Delicious

WHAT the Supreme Court is to United States law, the American Pomological Society is to American fruit and horticulture—the final, highest authority. This Society has occupied this eminent position for over 75 years. Now—this great body of scientists and horticulturists has given to Stark's Golden Delicious the highest tribute ever granted to an apple since the introduction of Stark Delicious—the **only** Wilder Silver Medal ever awarded to an apple in the last 35 years. This Medal was "struck off" on the massive presses of the United States Mint, by special order, and is now in our possession. (See photo at left.)

Prof. C. P. Close, Official U. S. Pomologist

THE WILDER MEDAL

The Wilder Silver Medal is the Nobel Prize of the fruit world. It was provided for by a Trust Fund left in 1886 by the late Marshall P. Wilder, Scientist and Pomologist, who was President of the American Pomological Society for 38 years—with instructions that it was to be awarded to a fruit only after exhaustive investigation had produced proof of that fruit's supreme merit.

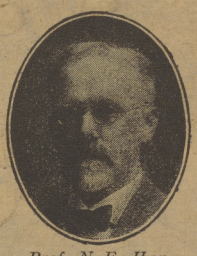
What American Pomological Society Award Means To You

To **you** who may have been waiting to see Stark's Golden Delicious "prove itself," here is the evidence of the esteem in which this superb fruit, and the tree that bears it, is held by the foremost pomological experts, horticulturists and orchardists.

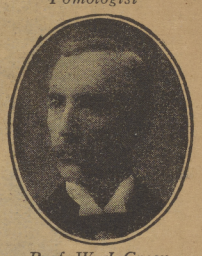
They watched the development, testing and success of this great, big, glowing golden apple for many years before giving it this, the supreme honor.

On the Committee on the Wilder Medal Award were such eminently conservative authorities as: Prof. C. P. Close, Official Pomologist, U. S. Dept. of Agric., Washington, D. C.; Prof. W. J. Green, State Horticulturist, Ohio Exper. Sta., Wooster, Ohio; Prof. N. E. Hansen, State Horticulturist, N. D. Exper. Sta., Brookings, N. D. (see photos at right).

Gathered with these men and concurring in their unanimous verdict in favor of Stark's Golden Delicious, were such noted figures as Dr. Liberty H. Bailey, Dean of New York College of Agriculture, Cornell University, and author of the world famous Standard Encyclopaedia of American Horticulture—and horticulturists and fruit experts from practically every Horticultural College and Experiment Station.



Prof. N. E. Hansen, Nor. Dak. State Horticulturist



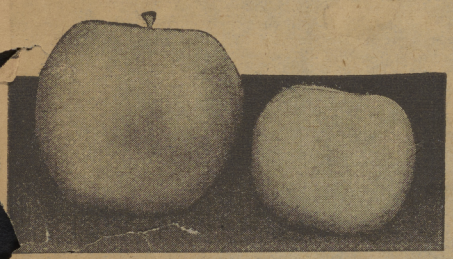
Prof. W. J. Green, Ohio State Horticulturist

Only Stark Bro's Can Sell Golden Delicious—
Every Tree Everywhere Legally Protected—
National Detective Service—$100 Reward!

Only Stark Bro's can sell Golden Delicious. Stark Bro's own the ORIGINAL Golden Delicious tree and ground. From this splendid old "Mother Tree" Stark Bro's have produced hundreds of thousands of Golden Delicious trees. All trees, buds, scions or cuttings, are **fully and legally protected** and controlled by Contracts. Anyone who infringes by attempting to sell Golden Delicious trees under its true name **or any name,** will be promptly and effectively handled in the courts. A few cases of attempted infringement by nurserymen have been quickly handled by court action or by the infringer agreeing to burn all trees, etc., and agreeing to stop infringing. Reliable nurseries will not infringe, and others who do not respect our rights will be prosecuted.

All Nurserymen Were Officially Warned of our Legal Rights through U. S. Postal Dept., Registry Division, so none could innocently infringe. We retain Services of leading National Detective Agency to **protect our rights and our customer's** rights. If you hear of anyone else trying to sell trees, claimed to be Golden Delicious, notify us at once so we can notify our Detective Agency and Legal Department to take necessary action.

$100 Reward! For the arrest and conviction of anyone stealing Golden Delicious trees, scions, buds or cuttings, and propagating therewith.



GOLDEN DELICIOUS GRIMES GOLDEN

Stark's Golden Delicious is 50% Larger and Keeps 4 Months Later Than Grimes

We Are Planting These Trees in All Our Own Big Orchards

Four years ago, Major Lloyd Stark and Paul Stark set out two big orchards, as a personal investment. They planted **one-half of their acreage to Stark's Golden Delicious trees.** Of course, they also planted a big lot of Stark Delicious, Black Ben, Double-Life Grimes Golden, Stark King David and Jonathans. But, the chief planting was Stark's Golden Delicious.

STARK'S GOLDEN DELICIOUS PRICES

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000	2000
4-7 ft.	$1.50	$12.00	$100	$800	$0.65
3-5 ft.	1.25	11.00	90	700	0.55
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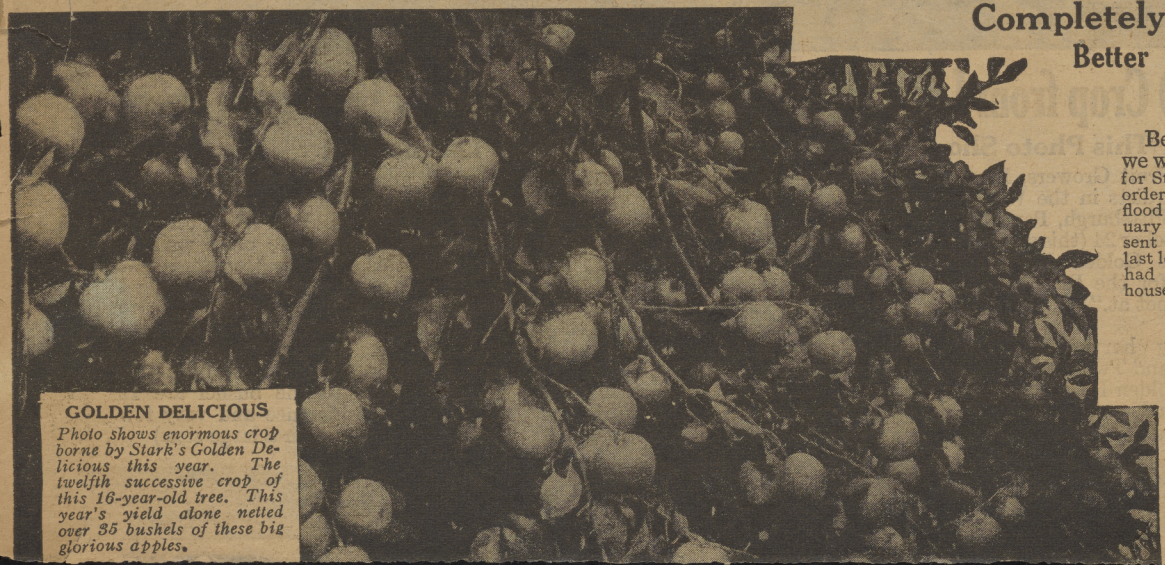
Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate; over 1000 at 2000 rate; write for very low prices on larger quantities.



GOLDEN DELICIOUS

Photo shows enormous crop borne by Stark's Golden Delicious this year. The twelfth successive crop of this 16-year-old tree. This year's yield alone netted over 35 bushels of these big glorious apples.

Completely Sold Out in 1924!
Better Order EXTRA EARLY NOW!

Before March 1st, last season, we were compelled to return orders for Stark's Golden Delicious trees. The orders for these trees came in a perfect flood during November, December, January and February. Hundreds of people sent in their orders too late—after the last lot of Stark's Golden Delicious trees had been shipped out of our packing houses.

Don't make the mistake of delaying your Stark's Golden Delicious tree order. Send it in **NOW**—and we will reserve your trees and ship them at the right time for planting

STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT

"Finest, Showiest Apple Big Buyers Ever Saw!"

Stark's Golden Delicious Average Size

STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT

Declares Owner of the Famous 750 Acre Wilson Orchards

Silas Wilson, the famous Iowa-Idaho orchardist (whose photo is printed at bottom of this page) who has 750 acres of orchards, recently visited us and said:—"My judgment of this wonderful Stark's Golden Delicious apple and tree is endorsed by all the big Eastern fruit buyers who visited my orchard. They all say it is the finest and showiest apple they ever saw. Furthermore the tree is as hardy as Stark Delicious and Wealthy. *It sets an apple for every blossom.* I grew every apple that set to maturity. And the apples cling fast to the tree." Mr. Wilson is a real, practical orchardist, for

It Took Scores of Cars to Carry This Man's Apples to Market

He is the type of alert, up-to-the-minute fruit-grower who is planting Stark's Golden Delicious and Stark Delicious. He is planning for the BIG future profits. The B. G. Pratt Orchard Co. of New Jersey (600 acres) ORDERED 5,000 MORE STARK'S GOLDEN DELICIOUS *trees after planting 500 last year.* This Company is owned by leading orchard men who have large commercial orchards in many parts of the U. S. They are making 100-acre planting of Golden Delicious because they have investigated and believe that this is the most profitable *yellow* apple they can plant, on account of its tremendous *annual* bearing ability, late keeping and high quality.

The most noted Pomologists and Experiment Station Experts think this is a wise move. Note:—"I regard Stark's Golden Delicious as the grandest advance in the line of fruits that was ever made. Its favorable characteristics are vigor—so strong as to resist the check of remarkably young bearing. Size, shape and quality are also in its favor," says Mr. E. Riehl, the well known Illinois authority. J. H. Gourley, Chief Ohio Agrc. Exper. Station, Wooster, Ohio, writes:—"The behavior of Stark's Golden Delicious is phenomenal. Seldom does a variety have so many superior qualities."

Dr. Kellogg Says:—

"I consider this (Stark's Golden Delicious) the finest apple I ever ate. Acceptable to stomachs which will not tolerate acid fruits. You may reserve for us 400 Stark's Golden Delicious trees. I am anxious to get a supply of these apples for use at the Battle Creek Sanitarium as soon as possible."

The Battle Creek Sanitarium
Battle Creek Michigan

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE
J. H. KELLOGG M.D.

December 25, 1921.

Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co..
Louisiana, Mo.

Gentlemen:

I have yours of December 23.

I am glad to have the further information concerning the Golden Delicious apple which your letter gives. I consider this the finest apple I have ever tasted. It is especially adapted to invalids because of its mild highly effective flavor. The absence of acid will render it acceptable among stomachs which will not tolerate acid fruits. I am anxious to get a supply of these apples for use at the Battle Creek Sanitarium as soon as possible and am now making arrangements for the planting of a large orchard on the basis of your proposition. We have a large number of trees which may be topworked to advantage as you suggest.

Sincerely yours,
John Harvey Kellogg.

P.S. You may reserve for us 400 trees and a lot of cions for topworking. Could you supply me with a few of the apples? I would like to have a small supply at almost any price, if you will kindly have sent me a box or a few boxes with bill for the same. I am really very enthusiastic about Stark's Golden Delicious and thank you very much for calling my attention to it.

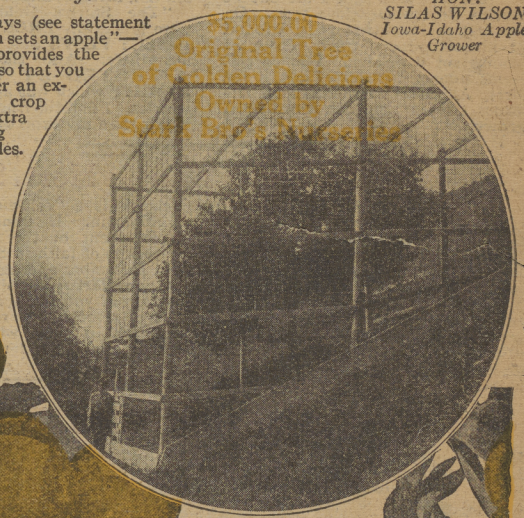
John Harvey Kellogg, M. D. is internationally known as a dietitian. His success in treating digestive and intestinal disorders has earned for him fame throughout the known world.

WHY Stark's Golden Delicious Bears Such BIG Crops

Study the photo of a branch of Stark's Golden Delicious shown below. This is only a small part of the *fourth successive* crop of Stark's Golden Delicious apples on one tree. The apples group almost as close as gooseberries. However, because they have long, tough stems they develop into extra size apples at time of maturity.

HON. SILAS WILSON Iowa-Idaho Apple Grower

As Silas Wilson says (see statement above) "every blossom sets an apple"—and nature provides the tough stem so that you will gather an extra big crop of extra big apples.



The $5000 Tree In A Cage

Stark's Golden Delicious in Our Test Orchards Bearing Good Crops

Here is a 6-year-old Stark's Golden Delicious. It is one of the hundreds that we set out in our test orchards during the many years we tried out Stark's Golden Delicious before offering any of these trees for sale.

This year it was "A bouquet of apples"—after it had gone through 3 frosts and 2 freezes last Spring.

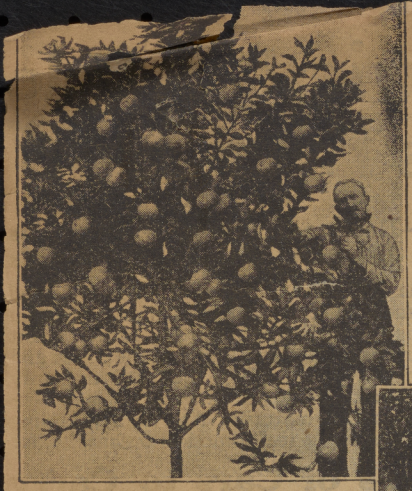
It is another example to prove the truth of the statement "every Stark's Golden Delicious tree has as many lives as a cat," which was originally said by one of our oldest Test Orchard Inspectors, a man who knows trees as well as a bee knows honey.

Scoring Big Success in Big Orchards All Over America

Bearing Young, Bearing BIG Crops Every Year Everywhere!

It is **the** most successful orchardists—men noted for their big money crops and their "long headedness," who are planting Stark's Golden Delicious by hundreds and thousands.

Go where you will—and you will find the leading orchardists of every good apple section talking Stark's Golden Delicious—and **planting** Stark's Golden Delicious. Their expert opinion of this variety is the same as that of J. E. Eggers, the big St. Louis County fruit grower, who declares:—"I believe that Stark's Golden Delicious is the most profitable variety anyone can plant!" Read what a few of them say:—



THIS TREE PLANTED TWO YEARS AGO BORE 80 APPLES THIS YEAR

In sending in photo above, Mr. Chas. Riedenbaker, Burlington Co., N. J., declared:—"Golden Delicious is the best apple grown!" (See full account at right)

"ALL My 250 Stark Trees Planted 2 yrs. Ago Bore 20 to 80 Big Apples Each This Year!"

—and all the 250 are Stark's Golden Delicious!

The photo in the upper left hand corner of this page shows Mr. Chas. Riedenbaker of Burlington Co., **NEW JERSEY**, and one of those 250 Stark's Golden Delicious trees planted 2 yrs. ago.

This man bought a tract of poor stump land, that wasn't "worth a nickel an acre," so everyone said. Planted to Stark Trees (particularly Stark's Golden Delicious) it is yielding him rich crops—has helped him raise his family in every comfort and is fattening his bank account every year.

Speaking further of his block of 250 Stark's Golden Delicious trees that bore so remarkably heavy when 2-yrs.-old, he says:—

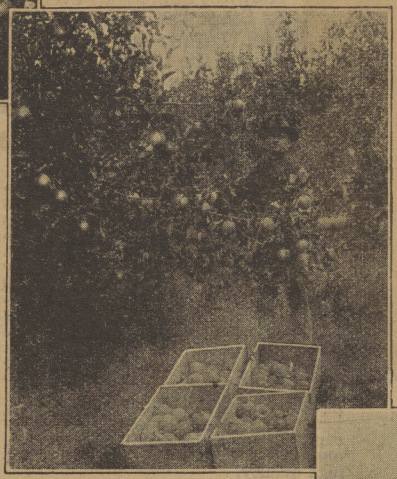
"These trees are very hardy and **rapid growers.** I never knew of any other apple that **bore so young** and had such **heavy crops.** It is the **best apple grown—very large, fine color** and **exquisite** flavor."

Beat 4 Other Varieties

Prof. F. W. Faurot, Director Mo. State Exp. Station, Mt. Grove, **MO.**, writes:—

"I run onto orchardists in nearly every community of this state who have planted Stark's Golden Delicious. In our own Experiment Station orchards, we have 120 Stark's Golden Delicious trees alongside of Rome, Willow Twig, York and Jonathan—and **the Stark's Golden Delicious has made from ½ to ½ more growth than any of the other four varieties.**"

LATER—Prof. Faurot decided to set out an orchard for his **personal profit.** He had planned to plant Grimes Golden, but after seeing the behavior of Stark's Golden Delicious in the Mo. State Exp. Station, he eliminated Grimes and planted a big block of Stark's Golden Delicious instead.



ENORMOUS STARK'S GOLDEN DELICIOUS APPLES

Above shows the immense size of this variety of apple—grown by J. L. Webster, Chelan Co., WASH., in the famous "Golden Delicious Orchards." These apples averaged as large as 48 to the bushel—much larger than we show on Inside Front Cover of this Stark Year Book.

Bore When 1 Year Old!

One of the Calhoun County **(ILLINOIS)** noted fruit growers is J. E. Nelson. He writes:—

"Just one year ago, I set out 74 Stark's Golden Delicious trees. On the first of May **this** year, I found 27 blooms on one tree. These 27 blooms **set 6 apples.** I know this seems almost incredible, but it's a fact! All these Stark's Golden Delicious trees are making **wonderful growth.**"

Defy Insect Epidemics

Fred L. Hinds, well known Middlesex Co., **MASS.,** orchardist, writes:—

"The Stark's Golden Delicious were practically **FREE FROM THE INSECT PESTS** that were so prevalent here. Also, they were **NOT AFFECTED BY THE FIRE BLIGHT** which was also among our worries. I find the fruit and trees far better than my expectations."

1,000 Trees Averaged 6 Feet Growth in 1 Season

O. Sutton, Pres. famous Riverview Orchard Co., Orchards, **WEST VIRGINIA,** enthusiastically writes:—

"1,000 Stark's Golden Delicious trees I set out last fall put on **a 6-foot growth this season.** All my neighbors **marvel at this growth.** They are magnificent in every way. I fully believe Stark's Golden Delicious to be **the apple sensation of the century.**"

THIS 4-YR.-OLD TREE HAS BORNE 3 CROPS

F. D. Straight, Allegan Co., MICH., sent in photo (in oval below) and stated:—"Stark's Golden Delicious trees bear when mere babies—and you can't kill 'em with an axe, that's all. The tree of this variety shown in photo is now 4 yrs. old and has born 3 successive crops."

Praised by President Kansas Hort. Society

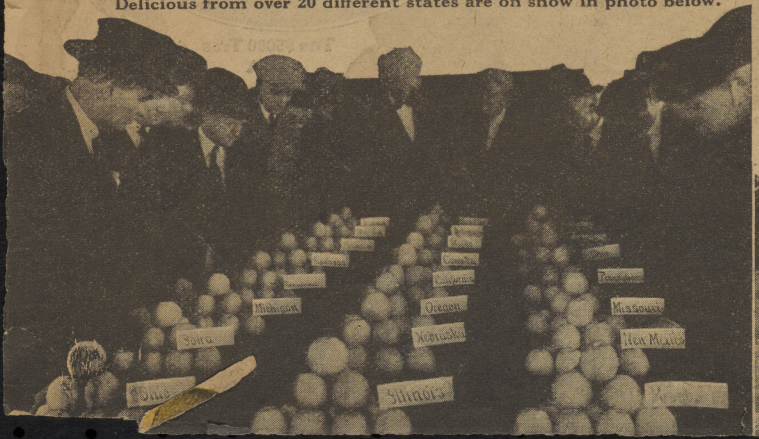
Jas. Sharpe, owner famous Sharpe Orchards, is a "self-made man." A comparatively few years ago he was a R. R. fireman. He went into the fruit raising business—succeeded—and now is President of the Kansas State Horticultural Society. He declares:—"I have lots of faith in Stark's Golden Delicious, having seen and eaten its fruit in December and again in August (apples of crop of year before), showing its **wonderful keeping qualities.** The 100 Stark's Golden Delicious trees I bought of you last spring were **certainly fine one-year trees,** straight stem and smooth, fine roots. **All are growing fine**—some making **3 feet of growth in year,** which is **extraordinary.** The trees are very symmetrical in growth and make beautiful orchard trees."

MICH. MAN WISHES HE HAD PLANTED 10 TIMES AS MANY

Don. E. Minor, successful Kent Co., MICH., orchardist, in sending in photo above, writes:— "I certainly wish we had planted more Stark's Golden Delicious trees. And while we have about 1,000 Stark Delicious, our greatest regret is that we did not plant 10 times as many.

Stark's Golden Delicious From 20 States

Here is just part of the wonderful exhibit of Stark's Golden Delicious at Midwest Horticultural Exposition held in Council Bluffs, Iowa, last fall. Stark's Golden Delicious from over 20 different states are on show in photo below.



EVERY TREE BORE GOOD CROP IN 3rd SUMMER

Below we show the J. E. Eggers orchard in St. Louis Co., MO., containing 50 Golden Delicious trees, every one of which bore fruit the third summer after planting. He writes:—"Every Tree has from 5 to 20 beautiful apples upon it. Some of them bore at 2 years. Stark's Golden Delicious is the best apple I have."

Stark's Golden Delicious Amazes by Bearing at 2 Yrs. Old in 33 States

STARK'S GOLDEN DELICIOUS trees only 2 years old have the World's Record for early bearing. Not only under favorable circumstances and in good soil, but in **33 different states,** from cold, ocean-wind-swept Connecticut to sunny California—from blizzard-bitten Wisconsin to semi-tropical New Mexico—from the garden spots of New Jersey to half-arid Kansas.

It has astonished scientists and horticulturists by bearing excellent crops when 2 years old in Arizona, Missouri, West Virginia, Oklahoma, New York, Texas, Mississippi, California, Iowa, Connecticut, New Mexico, Arkansas, Ohio, New Jersey, Oregon, Alabama, Idaho, Wisconsin, District of Columbia, Louisiana, Washington, Maryland, New Hampshire, Utah, Maine, Kansas, Tennessee, Pennsylvania, Illinois, Kentucky, Virginia, Indiana, and Massachusetts.

Enthusiastic reports have poured in upon us from delighted growers everywhere. Read statement under three photos at the right. Everywhere the story is the same.

"My 2-year-old Stark's Golden Delicious **bore 14 apples.**"—H. D. Didier, Roanoke, Va.

"My six 2-year-old Stark's Golden Delicious **bore a bushel box** of apples this year."—A. Johnson, Ashland, Ore.

"My Stark's Golden Delicious tree, set out 2 years ago this spring, had **24 apples** this year."—J. G. Putnam, Everett, Wash.

"The Stark's Golden Delicious I planted 2 years ago bore **6 apples this** season."—Dr. W. E. Lawhead, Burlington, Iowa.

"There were 9 apples this year (1920) on one Stark's Golden Delicious tree planted spring 1918."—S. P. Hollister, Prof. Pomology, Conn. Agric. College, Storrs, Conn.

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BORE OVER 100 APPLES AT 27 MONTHS

This photo above was sent in by A. Russell Paul, Belvidere, N. J. Think of a tree bearing **12 apples** *at 15 months — and over* **100 apples** *at 27 months. He declares it is the "youngest, heaviest bearer of over 150 varieties."*

21 APPLES ON 2-YEAR-OLD TREE

J. Ginther, Bone Gap, Ill. (photo above)—"My 2-year-old Stark's Golden Delicious tree bore **21 apples** *this year."*

2 YEARS OLD—BORE 128 APPLES

(Photo at left.) Frank L. Wingard, Orange Cove, Calif., writes: "This 2-year-old tree bore 128 Stark's Golden Delicious apples this year."

Noted Horticulturists Journey

Long Distances to See These Trees Bearing

State Horticulturists — Men of Science — Experiment Station Men — State and Government Bureau Men — Horticultural Editors — famous orchardists have come long distances to see Stark's Golden Delicious trees and the remarkable fruit they bear.

Their reports form the most convincing proof of the supreme merit of this "Queen of All Yellow Apples."

Ohio's noted State Horticulturist, **Prof. Wendell Paddock,** Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio, visited these trees and reported: "I know now that the young Stark's Golden Delicious **come into bearing young** and the grafts **beat anything I ever saw.** I know that the apple is of **high quality, beautiful golden yellow color** and a **late keeper.** I look for Stark's Golden Delicious to be the starting point of **a new race of apples.** Fully one-half of its apples are **produced from lateral buds on last year's wood** —very much as a peach produces its fruit."

Prof. H. L. Crane, Horticulturist, W. Va. Exp. Sta., Morgantown, W. Va., came nearly 1,000 miles to see these trees and said: "It is likely that Stark's Golden Delicious will be the parent of a family of apple trees that will **make all the old standard varieties back numbers.** I am glad to see its strong wood that bore the terrific load of fruit on all branches without breaking."

Prof. F. P. Cullinan, Associate in Pomology, Purdue Univ., Agric. Exp. Sta., LaFayette, Ind., came to inspect these trees and their fruit and declared: "One of the most important points about Stark's Golden Delicious is its **late keeping** quality."

A typical box of Stark's Golden Delicious (below) from orchards of J. L. Webster, Wenatchee, Wash., in perfect condition after 2500 mile trip in ordinary boxes. Mr. Webster got **$5.00 per box** *for his entire last year's crop.*

Basket of J. L. Webster's Stark's Golden Delicious

He declares, "It's a winner because it is a **strong grower, heavy bearer,** does not drop as do some varieties. Keeping quality equal to old Winesap!"

The photo below shows Prof. Paddock, Ohio State Horticulturist; Prof. Oskamp, Horticulturist of Missouri State Experiment Station; Prof. Cullinan, Associate in Pomology, Purdue University, Indiana; Prof. Crane, West Virginia State Horticulturist, examining tree and fruit. Taken by Prof. W. A. Ruth of University of Illinois, Urbana, Ill., who was one of the party of investigators.

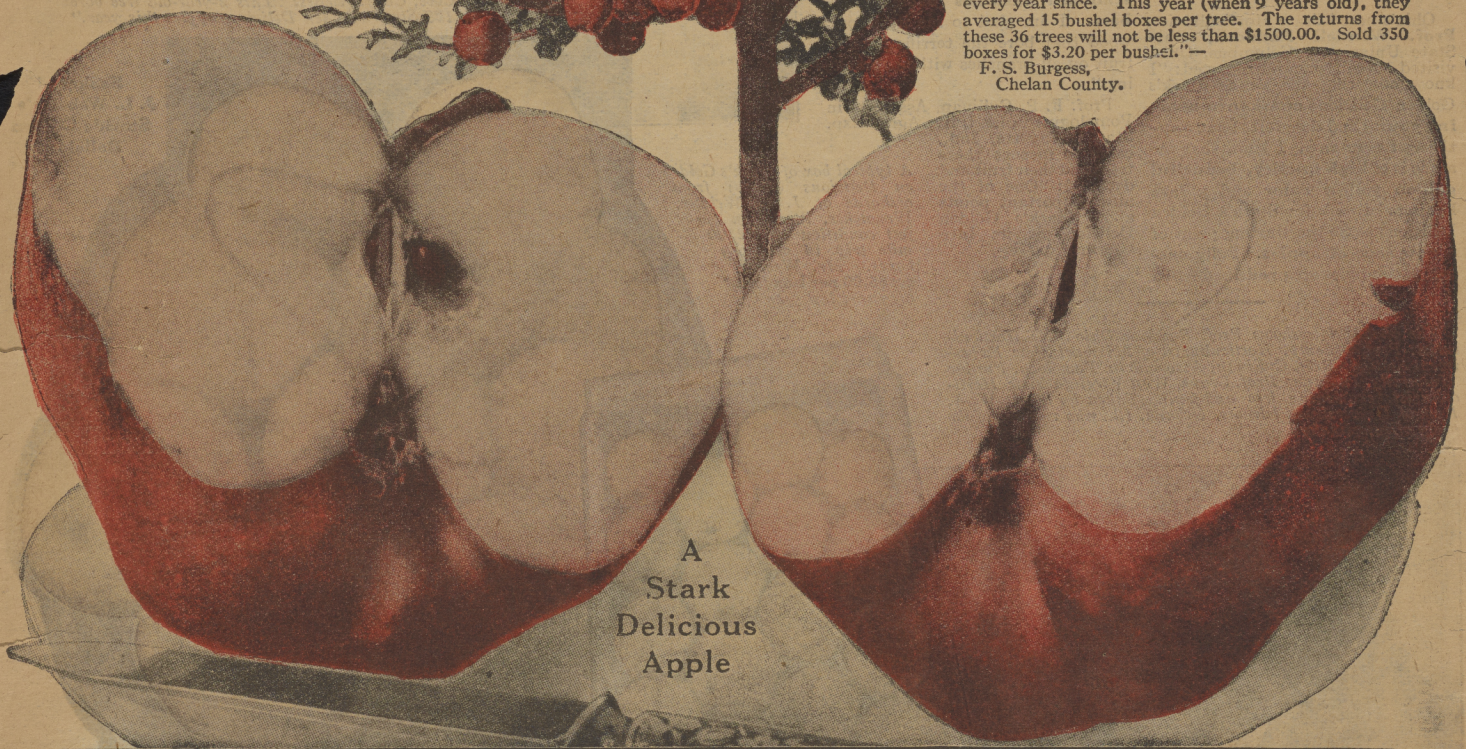
STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT

Stark Bro's Prize Fruits & Trees

Sold only by Stark Bro's

yr.-old
Stark Delicious
Apple Tree
In Burgess Orchard

"I have 36 Stark Delicious Trees (All Genuine ORIGINAL TREE STRAIN), that began bearing the third year—(See photo above), and have borne every year since. This year (when 9 years old), they averaged 15 bushel boxes per tree. The returns from these 36 trees will not be less than $1500.00. Sold 350 boxes for $3.20 per bushel."—
F. S. Burgess,
Chelan County.



A Stark Delicious Apple

Original Tree Strain of Stark Delicious

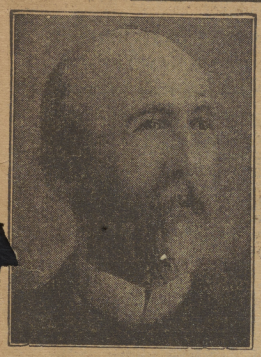
Original Tree Strain

Stark Delicious

"The Finest Red Apple in All The World"

"STARK DELICIOUS trees from your nurseries have been growing on my place for years and never failed to produce a crop," writes Luther Burbank, the Wizard of Horticulture. "As the trees grow larger they bear more, larger, better fruit. The Stark Delicious is correctly named. No other apple has the delicious combination of the spicy fragrance and flavor of Stark Delicious. Furthermore, it keeps longer than any other good apple. **It is the finest red apple in all the world!"**

—Luther Burbank.



Clarence M. Stark for many years President of Stark Bro's Nurseries & Orchards Co. But for him Stark Delicious would probably have never been known.

Genuine "Original Tree" Strain Stark Delicious trees have been planted by hundreds of thousands in the last 20 years—from one end of the country to the other. It is so popular that a noted artist made a depicture of Uncle Sam holding forth proudly a princely Stark Delicious—and he entitled his drawing "THE apple of His Eye."

STARK DELICIOUS (*Trade-Mark*) PRICES
(Original Tree Strain—Sold ONLY by us.)

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Discovered and Introduced by Stark Bro's

The reason why shrewd orchardists insist on genuine **Stark** Delicious is because they know that the ORIGINAL TREE of Stark Delicious (see photo at left) was discovered by the late C.M. Stark of Stark Bro's over 30 years ago.

He immediately purchased perpetual rights to his ORIGINAL TREE from the owner of the farm, Jesse Hiatt. We at once secured a **registered trademark** from the United States Government on the name of this apple and the trees which bear the name of the **genuine** Stark Delicious.

Great, Big, Gleaming Red, Beautiful Apples

The Stark Delicious is a great, big, gleaming red beauty. So attractive and so "good to eat" that it is bought eagerly at city markets at 10, 25 and even 50 cents each!

Its crisp, "crunchy" flesh is blessed with **an exquisite, aromatic flavor**—and a honey-dew juiciness not found in any other red apple. It tops the markets for the growers—it tops the list of favorites in the opinion of everyone.

It is the apple so easily recognized by its **beautiful waxen skin** of deep crimson, blending off into golden yellow at the blossom end, with its five knob-like protuberances.

Have you ever bit into, with joyous relish, its tender, crisp, fine-grained flesh? If so, you must still be smacking your lips over its deliciously "different" flavor. You must still remember its savory, luscious aroma, with its faint suggestion of sparkling old wine—its indescribable, never-to-be-forgotten tang.

It keeps long into the next spring and early summer—retaining in full its remarkably zestful flavor and snap. **As a shipper, it is supreme** and the **best storage apple known.** A delight as a home apple—a marvelous money-maker.

Photo of Jesse Hiatt and Original Stark Delicious Tree (exclusive and perpetual propagation rights owned by Stark Bro's)—now close onto a Half Century old, but still bearing splendid crops—the hale and hearty "Father" of all Genuine ORIGINAL TREE Strain Stark Delicious Trees.

Stark Bro's "Original Tree" Strain of Stark Delicious is Your Guarantee

Your orchard is a lifetime proposition. You don't want to gamble—**you must be sure!** You want the Genuine ORIGINAL TREE Strain of Stark Delicious—the one that is **backed by a record of 50 years** of proven hardiness, disease resistance; regular annual bearing, and also biggest profits wherever apple trees grow. Other apples similar in appearance to the **genuine,** have been sold to unsuspecting orchardists—but these **Bogus, so-called "Delicious" are inferior,** poor quality, and as different as black and white from the **genuine.**

We Alone Control Propagation From Original Tree

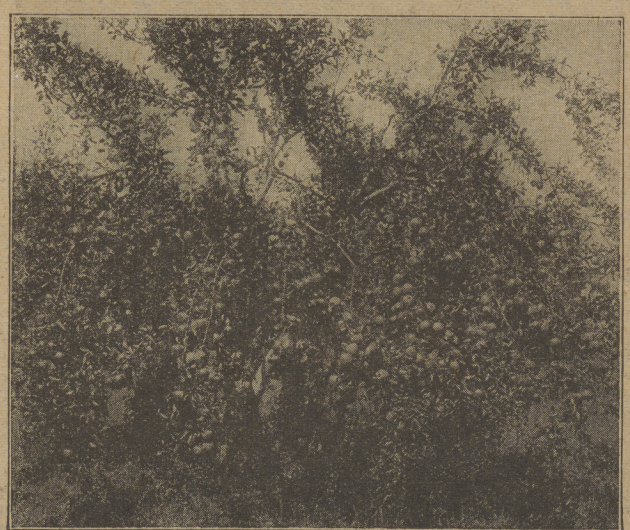
Stark Bro's bought perpetual, exclusive and **sole** propagation rights and control of the Original Stark Delicious Tree, and **no other Nursery or person can propagate from this Grand Old Tree,** which though 50 years old, has never missed a crop, except one year when all apples failed. Our Genuine ORIGINAL TREE Strain of Stark Delicious propagation is continually renewed and kept close to this original Stark Delicious tree. **Stark Bro's exclusive contract** for the control and **sole propagating rights from this** ORIGINAL TREE, is the orchardist's best **guarantee of true strain stock,** of unquestionable purity, and is the best possible assurance that the characteristics of this magnificent old Patriarch Tree are inherited by our young ORIGINAL TREE Strain of Stark Delicious. This grand old Original Tree still stands on that bleak, blizzard-swept prairie of Northern Iowa—the only tree out of a large orchard that could withstand the severe **40 degrees below zero** weather and the long droughts of summer, and survive. Yet—it has stood all these tests, as well as **successfully resisted attacks of insects and disease,** un-pruned, un-cultivated, un-sprayed, but still producing abundance of rich, healthy foliage and splendid regular crops.

Protect Yourself by Getting "Original Tree" Strain Stark Delicious Trees

You want **your young trees** to inherit these same hardy, vigorous and heavy annual bearing characteristics. You can get these **Original Tree** Strain Trees, propagated by our special "close to the Original Tree Method," **from no one but Stark Bro's,** Louisiana, Mo. "Just as a spring is pure at its source" so the ORIGINAL TREE Stark Delicious is your best assurance of orchard success.

Original Stark Delicious Tree
—Now Over 50 Years Old

Has Unsurpassed Record for Annual Crops of High Quality Fruit Since a Young Tree. Bore every year but one. Long-Lived—Sturdy—Vigorous—and Still Bearing! Standing on bleak prairies of Northern Iowa, it has fought storms and zero weather for half a century. This grand old tree is the only sort in entire orchard planted at that time which for half a [illegible] ed years has successfully combated the elements. Pruning as Prof. Whitten, Missouri



A 9-year-old Stark Delicious tree in 11-acre orchard of Harry C. Carroll, Clarksville, Mo., bearing 18 bushels top price apples. One year's crop alone

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The great Seabrook Farms Co., near Bridgeton, N. J. (a concern having 2,000 acres in truck garden), has planted a 2,000-acre orchard to fruit trees. These total 62,000 Stark Trees, including a block of 11,000 **Genuine** ORIGINAL TREE Strain Stark Delicious and 2,500 Stark's Golden Delicious trees. Before they decided on just which trees they would invest in, their Superintendent inspected practically every nursery and every orchard section in America. As soon as he saw our Stark mountain-grown trees and saw the **results** we get through our Propagating Secrets of 106 years' Tree Experience, he decided to buy STARK TREES.

STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT

Stark Delicious Tree Would be Cheap at $5.00 Compared to these 'Cheap' Trees!"

Houser & Sutton
—Big Indiana Fruit Growers

would be bargains at $5.00 each compared to those other trees as a gift!" declared Mr. Sutton, of Houser & Sutton, owners of a 7,000-Stark-Tree orchard near Newton, Ill. "Last spring I was induced to buy 800 trees (**not** Stark Trees) because of a so-called bargain price. When they came I had to throw away about 400 as worthless.

"I received a shipment of Stark Trees about the same time. So I planted the best of the cheap trees between the Stark Trees.

"Note the difference! Photo No. **1** (at right) shows a Stark Delicious (from your nursery) only one year and three months after planting. Photo No. 2 (at right) shows one of the cheap trees that was planted at the same time!

"Why—to make the difference even more marked—look at Photo No. 3 (at right). That's a Stark Tree planted only three months ago. Even **it** has grown much higher than the cheap tree planted 15 months before! That's why I say that a Stark Delicious Tree is cheap at $5.00 compared to those other trees as a gift."

Genuine Stark Delicious Bear In Indiana Despite Heaviest Frost Known

The Louisville Evening Post, Louisville, Ky., recently published this item:

"Charles Schindler, extensive fruit grower of Floyd Co., Indiana, stated yesterday that half his apple crop was saved despite the fearfully severe frosts. The variety which gave him his apples was Stark Delicious. All other varieties of apples on his farm suffered from the late frost. **Stark Delicious escaped damage.** He believes that this variety is **the** one to **withstand the late frosts** which occur in Indiana."

Makes Cheap Land Worth $1,000.00 Acre

G. F. Cadwell and his son from Griggsville, Ill., recently paid a visit to our Louisiana, Mo., headquarters. He comes to us year after year for his trees.

During the last few years they have planted 8,000 Stark Trees. They came to buy approximately 10,000 more trees for their big Illinois orchards, having bought 160 additional acres which they wished to plant to genuine Stark Trees.

As Mr. Cadwell said: "It may be just bare, rundown land **now**, but when it has a **Stark Tree orchard** growing on it, I will **refuse $1,000.00 per acre** for it. Why, the crops I have taken off in the past several years have totaled **over $2,000.00 per acre.** Just last year I got over 10,000 barrels (the net market price of No. 1 apples was $9.00 to $15.00 per barrel) from 50 acres of Stark Trees. Just 3 of my Stark Trees alone yielded 65 barrels of No. 1 apples. Why should I sell an orchard like that for $1,000.00 per acre? I have watched this apple game and I can see that the **prospects were never as bright** for big money for orchardists **as they are right now.**"

"Enough from One Crop to Pay for the Trees, the Land and All My Labor"

Note the orchard photo at bottom of this page. Observe each branch is bent until it nearly touches the ground under the amazing burden of great big Stark Delicious apples. Then, read this letter from the owner of the orchard, Mr. Horace Rainey, of Maury Co., Tennessee:

"In my 40 years' experience I have never seen a better crop than this. It far surpassed my utmost expectations. **I got enough money from this one crop to pay for the trees, the land** and for all my labor. This crop was simply grand. **I gathered 25** bushels or more per tree from many **of these trees.** Not one limb was broken although they bent to the ground. The **fruit was far above the average in size and color and sold readily at a fancy price.** I attribute this bumper crop to the extraordinary health and vigor of Stark trees, not only of the roots but of the foliage. They are now only 15 years old."

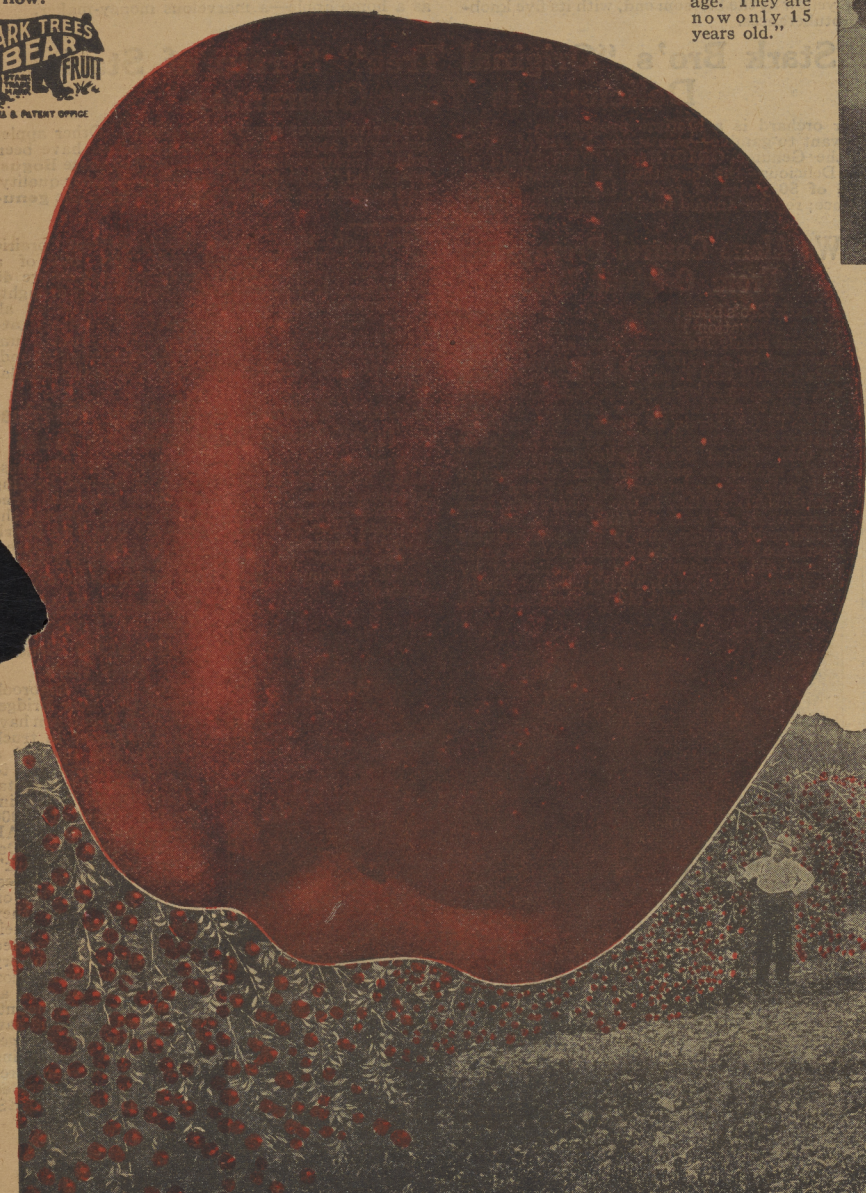
Photo No. 1 (above) shows remarkable growth of Stark Delicious Tree 1 year and 3 mos. after planting.

Photo No. 2 (at left) shows another nursery's "cheap" tree, 1 year and 3 months after planting. Note puny weakling growth.

Photo No. 3 (above) shows a Stark Tree only 3 months after planting. Even this 3 months tree is much bigger than 15 mos. cheap tree.

Stark Delicious as large as the one at left are common. One 13¾ in. in circumference, weighing 20½ oz. was raised by A. B. Collum.

Photo of Mr. Rainey in his Maury Co., Tenn., genuine Stark Delicious orchard. See his remarkable crop-profit statement above.



The Banner Cash-Crop-Maker Everywhere!

Stark Delicious Are the "Money Trees" of the Nation's Orchards

THE outstanding, undeniable fact is that the big orchardists of America are plantin nothing but highest-quality trees that will produce only high-quality apples, like Star Delicious, Stark's Golden Delicious, Stayman Winesap, Stark King David, Jonathan Double-Life Grimes Golden and similar fine apples. They realize that the finest fruit—th kind that "tops the markets" and that it costs no more to raise the better fruit than to rais the common sort. An article recently printed in the Chicago Tribune showed conclusively tha **the grower gets 80 per cent more profit from Stark Delicious than he gets from ordinar apples,** of the Ben Davis type, for instance. And it also proved that **it costs the grower a much to raise common apples as it does to grow Stark Delicious!**

Mrs. G. J. Hopkins (photo at left) wife of noted Virginia grower, standing beside 5-year-old Stark Delicious tree that bore 3 bushels last season.

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20 Bushels on One Tree

Photo at right shows one of big block of Stark Delicious trees owned by Buck Bro's, Elberfield, Ind. — bearing 20 bushels. Sold for $12.00 when ordinary apples brought only $6 —and helped Buck Bro's get $50,000.00 crop from 40 acres!

They bring $10.00 per barrel when others bring $3.50

"I set out, about 12 years ago, Stark Delicious trees that began bearing at years and have been bearing ever since. Some had 2 to 3 barrels on them las year. **They brought me $10.00 per barrel** last year when other apples sol for $3.50. The **best storage apple I ever saw.** Don't scald or decay. Th best in the world."—C. W. Greer, Front Royal, Va.

Succeeds in Minnesota

Harold Simmons, the famous Minnesota Horticulturist, writes: "This season Stark Delicious trees **bore after 47 degrees below zero.** Stark Delicious apples produced here were **all sold** before Christmas **to apple growers.** They had plenty of ordinary varieties of winter apples of their own growing, but they had tasted Stark Delicious and were **willing to pay more than twice the amount for them than they could get for their own fruit."**

$15.00 a Barrel in N. Y.

E. F. Brontzmann & Son, larg orchardists near Binghamton, N. Y reported to us: "Last year we picke the finest Stark Delicious we ever sa —in size from large to very large. W never ate apples of such fine flavor **We were offered $15.00 a barrel fo our Stark Delicious before we eve picked them."**

"I gave one of my Stark Delicious apples to Governor Pennypacker an he was delighted with it."—O. D Short, Dauphin Co., Pa.

$1,000.00 per Acre in Neb.

"Have sold $1,000.00 worth of apples from just one acre of trees—**all** Stark Trees. Stark Delicious sold at the top price—**$3.50 per bushel in the orchard."**—Chas. S. Ludlow, Red Cloud, Neb.

Made Missouri Man Rich

W. C. Curd of Saverton, Mo., form erly a city man, bought 110 acres a $20 an acre. Planted it to Stark De licious and others of our leadin varieties. Three crops off those tree recently **brought him over $84,000**

5 Acres Bring $5,400.00

"My young Stark Delicious orchard produced 6 barrels of apples to the tree ($1,350.00 per acre). I cleared over $5,400.00 from Stark Delicious grown on 5 acres of just ordinary land last season."—K. O. Clark, Pike Co., Ill.

$4.00 per Basket in Md

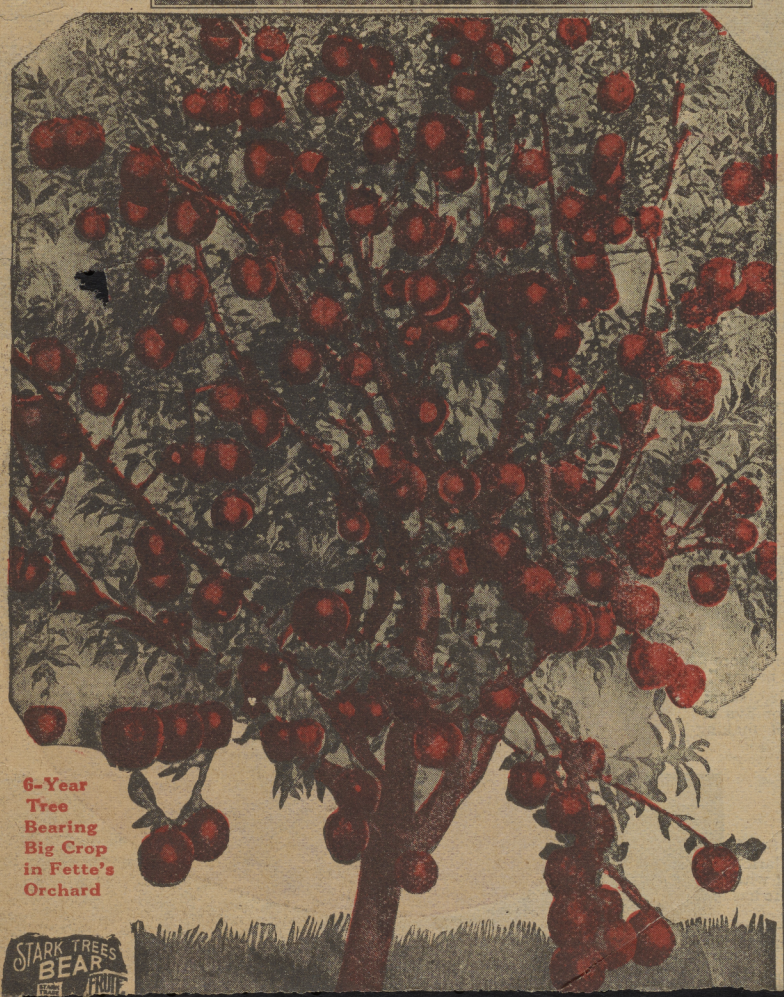
"The majority of my trees are Star Delicious. Last year I could not begi to supply the demand for Stark Deli cious apples at our local stores a **$4.00 per bushel basket,** while othe sorts were hard to sell at $2.00."—D P. LeFevre, Cumberland, Md.

5 Successive Crops in Iowa

"My Stark Delicious trees began bearing at about 4 years of age and have had 5 successive crops. The Stark Delicious is rightly named."—J. S. Hixson, Hillsboro, Ia.

Stark Delicious is sweeping ordinary red apples off the markets everywhere. The people who want **quality** in a red apple aren't satisfied with any apple other than the Stark Delicious—and they are ready and willing to **pay the top price t get Stark Delicious.**

That is the reason why the hom orchardist prefers to grow Stark De cious. He knows that he can gro big and fine and beautiful and as quisite-flavored Stark Delicious righ in his own back yard orchard as th big fellows can in their big orchards— and thus he gets the **best** apples a little or no cost.

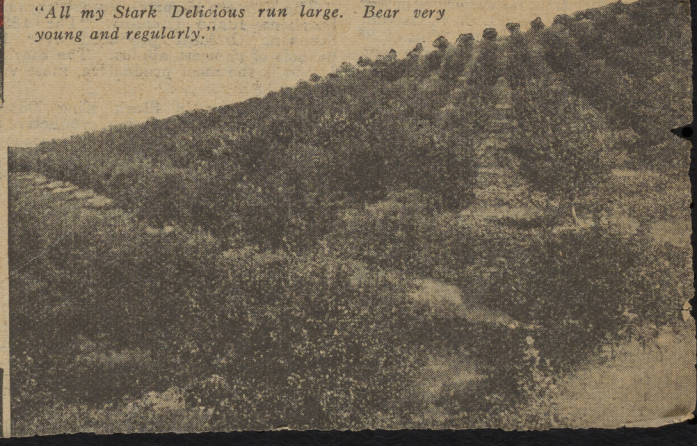


6-Year Tree Bearing Big Crop in Fette's Orchard

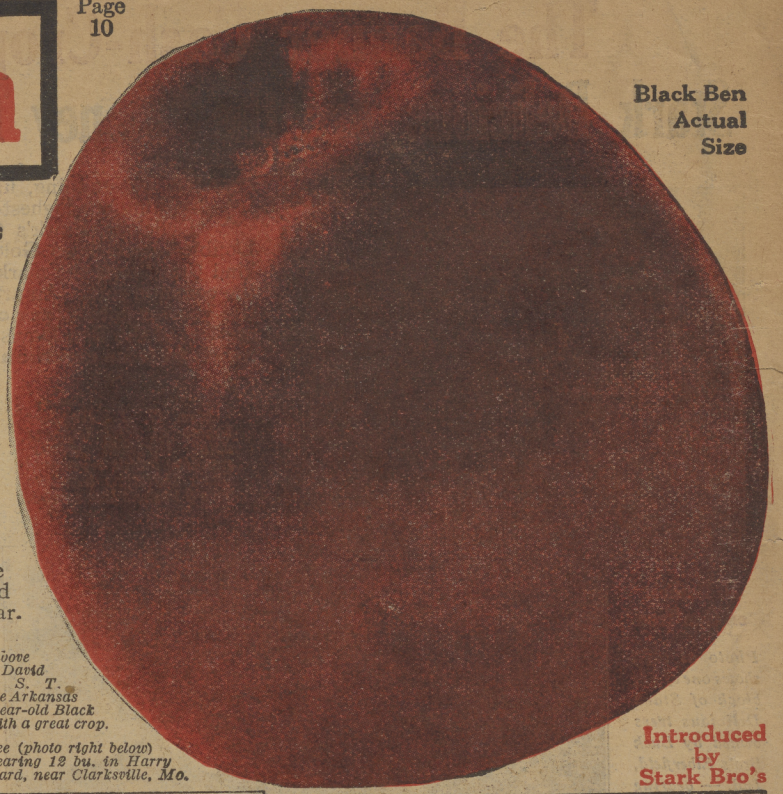
STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT

The Photo at left—one of many 6-year-old Stark Delicious trees in C. M. Fette's orchard, Marion Co., Mo. This is its **third successive crop!**

Photo below shows famous Rose Cliff Orchards, showing over 10,000 6-year-old Stark Trees. Mr. Craig, Mgr., says: "All my Stark Delicious run large. Bear very young and regularly."



Black Ben



Black Ben Actual Size

(Trade-Mark—Reg. in U. S. Patent Office)

(*Late Winter.*) This marvelously beautiful, glowing, deep red apple is one of the many famous fruits, discovered, introduced and distributed by us. We discovered it, an un-named seedling, in the Ozark Mountains of Washington County, Ark., over 30 years ago, and it has grown steadily in popularity since the day we first offered it. The fruit is of large size, regular in shape, smooth, solid red, one of the most attractive of all apples and one that commands high prices. The tree is hardy, rugged, bears young, every year, and produces tremendous crops. Superior in every respect to Gano or any other apple of this type. On the market it brings higher prices than Baldwin, Ark. Black, etc., and has proven one of the biggest money-makers. When an apple of the Ben Davis type is wanted, this variety should always be planted. It is an A No. 1 keeper, either in common cellar or cold storage, doesn't scald, and bruises dry up instead of rotting. No apple will stand harder handling or long distance shipping better than Black Ben. Some varieties bear every other year, some bear one heavy crop then a light crop. Some require one kind of soil, others another, but Black Ben planted in any soil, and given half a chance, will bear mortgage-lifting crops year after year.

EATING, COOKING, MARKET. NCS.

10 Black Ben Trees Bore More than 200 Other Trees in Orchard

Judge W. S. Matthews, of Wise Co., Va., writes: My Black Ben from your Nurseries came to the front as usual. The 10 Black Ben trees bore more than the balance of 210 trees in my entire orchard."

$1,080 Crop from 5 Acres Black Ben the Dollar Maker

I. M. Macklin, Jay County, Ind., writes: "My Black Ben and Stark King David are doing fine. We have about $1,080 worth of Black Ben's alone, in one crop off this 5-acre orchard. Sold my Black Ben for from $2.00 to $3.50 more per barrel than Ben Davis."

Won $500.00 Prize

"These 160 8-year-old Black Ben trees from your nursery—on 2 acres bore 1,250 bushel boxes of most beautiful, glowing deep red apples. They won the $500.00 Prize at the National Apple Show."—Dr. S. P. Green, Pres. Fruita Chamber of Commerce.

"Sells for from $2.00 to $3.50 More than Ben Davis

—per barrel. The best I ever planted," states S. T. Cole (see photo of his orchard below, just above cut of Stark King David), of Arkansas, who has devoted nearly 100 acres to Black Bens **exclusively.** Black Ben is a Stark Bro's introduction—the apple that has thrown old, tasteless Ben Davis into the discard. We discovered the original tree on Arkansas farm of Mr. Black.

It is far and wide known as "the barrel filler," because of its simply enormous crops.

Not Susceptible to Canker

D. E. Lewis of Kansas City, Manager Central States Orchard Co., with over 1,000 acres of bearing orchards, says, Black Ben tree by far most satisfactory of all the Ben Davis type as it is not susceptible to canker like Ben Davis.

Photo just above cut of King David Apple shows S. T. Cole's 100-acre Arkansas orchard of 6-year-old Black Ben—filled with a great crop.

Black Ben tree (photo right below) 12-year-old bearing 12 bu. in Harry Carroll's orchard, near Clarksville, Mo.

Introduced by Stark Bro's

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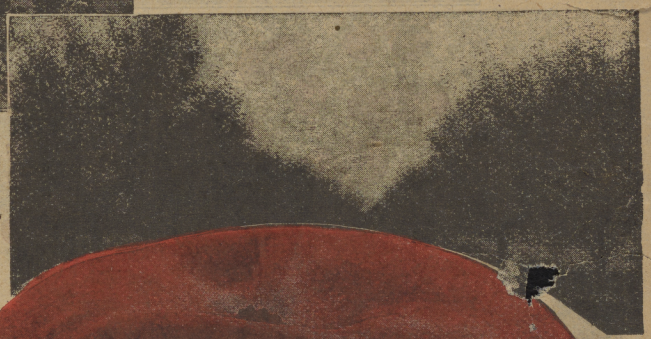
STARK KING DAVID



(*Winter.*) Youngest, heaviest bearer we have ever seen, except Stark's Golden Delicious. Bore all over the U. S. when all the old standby apples were killed by frost—late bloomer—sure bearer. Averages larger than Jonathan—is a solid deep (almost black) red. Full of spicy, wine-like juice—flesh, rich cream color.

(Trade-Mark—Reg. in U. S. Patent Office)

A fruiting Stark King David tree is **a glorious sight.** At a distance, it looks like an immense pile of glowing, wine-red apples. The tree is spreading, vigorous and no tree will bear more bushels.

We found this splendid apple many years ago on a trip over a rough Ozark Mountain road—still **loaded with gloriously colored apples October 25th,** five weeks after Jonathan had fallen. After careful investigation, we bought it. It has made good all over America in both home and commercial orchards. Always commands top prices.

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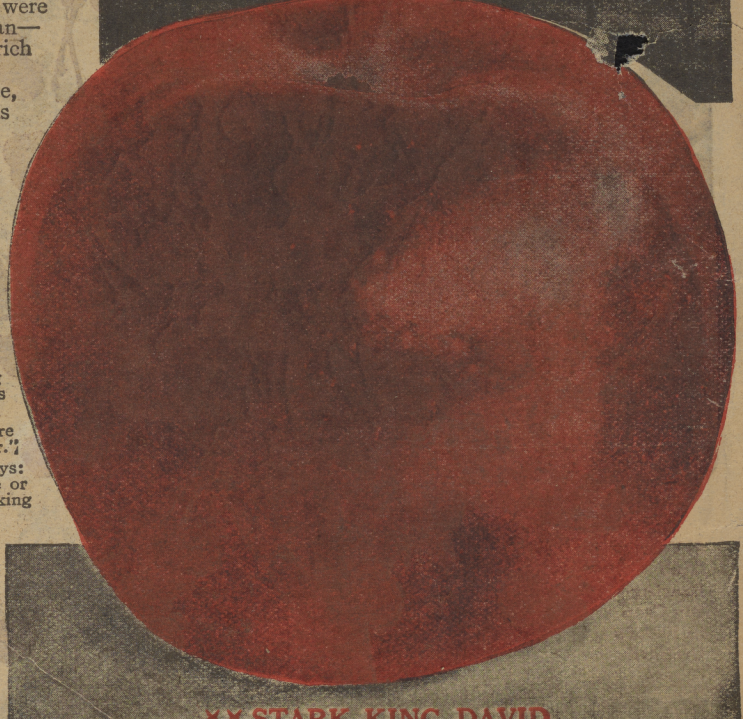

STARK KING DAVID

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For a filler tree, no variety is better than Stark King David. B. F. Carroll, Kearney Co., Neb., writes: "Out of 20 varieties, Stark King David is our best seller. It is highly colored, uniform in size, unsurpassed in flavor—better than Jonathan. The tree is an annual bearer, free from blight, forms the finest head and the fruit hangs longer than Jonathan. You cannot overestimate or over push Stark King David."

Frost Resistant

Prof. Ralston, Va. State Horticulturist, writes: "I send you herewith photograph of a Stark King David **full of apples,** showing its frost resistant qualities, since other varieties near it failed.

12 to 16 Bushels per Tree

"Stark King David was best—bore 12 to 16 bushels per tree"—writes John E. Walters, Newton Co., Ark. "Stark King David is a monarch—first of all," declares W. H. Scott.

5 Year Old Tree Bears 1,540 Apples

The Western Farmer's Review says of the Stephens Idaho Orchard: "The 185-acre Stephens Orchard produced over 10,000 bushels of choicest apples. The Stark King David is the most productive, most vigorous grower.

"One 5-year-old Stark King David bore 1,540 apples. It is a young, productive bearer."

Frank Moffit, Carmel, Ind., authority, says: "King David has been fruiting here for five or six years and has a way about it of making friends. The tree is a strong grower and a young cropper, while the fruit does not spot."

8 Barrels at $7.50 per Bbl. on One Young Tree

That's what one of Harry Carroll's Stark King David trees bore for him in his Clarksville, Mo., orchard. Every limb loaded with these big, shining, dark red apples. He has reaped riches from these trees.

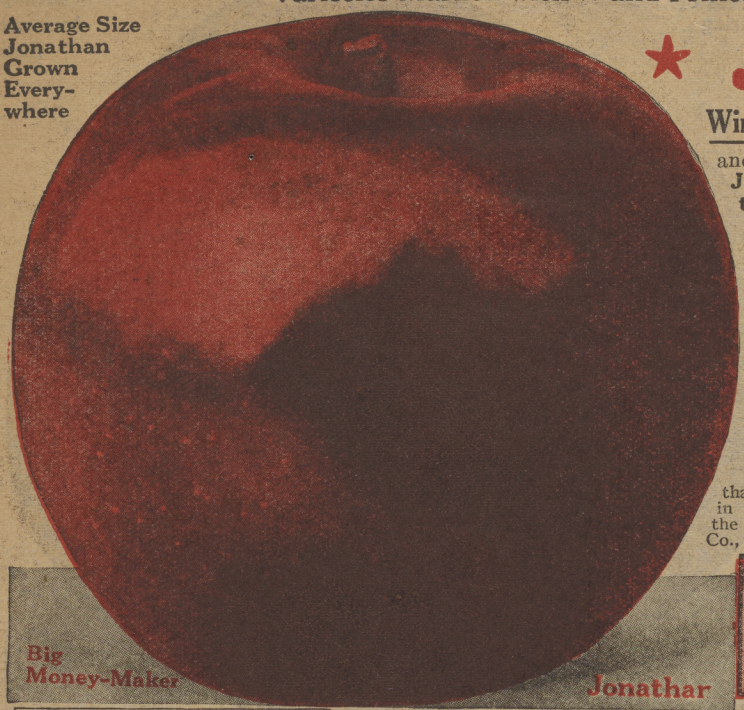
"Hardy enough here. Fine color — good quality, no blight," reports F. O. Harrington, Treas. Iowa Hort. Society.

You will never regret adding a block of

Stark's Money-Making Red Appl

Varieties Marked with ★ and Printed in Red Type are VERY BEST

Average Size Jonathan Grown Everywhere



Big Money-Maker Jonathan

★ JONATHAN

Winter—A nationally known and universally liked **brilliant red** apple with a wonderful, spicy, rich flavor. Widely adapted and largely grown throughout north, central west, east and south. **Jonathan is one of the most profitable kinds, especially in the Great Mississippi Valley section. EATING, COOKING, CIDER, MARKET. NCS.**

"Jonathan is a good orchard tree, rather spreading in growth, **extremely long lived—practically canker immune.** Comes into bearing young. Its heaviest crops are borne every other year—a heavy crop and then a light one." "Always juicy—one of the best early winter, home or market; juicy to the last."—Prof. H. E. Van Deman, ex-U. S. Pomologist.

1000 Jonathans in One Michigan Orchard

See the photo below the big Jonathan apple cut. That photo was taken in his own orchard by H. T. Bigelow, the noted fruit grower of Van Buren Co., Mich. He enthusiastically writes:

"The entire 1000 Jonathan trees purchased from you last fall **made remarkable growth! The photo shows a Jonathan only 5½ mos after planting!** Many were ov 7 ft. tall. They kept putting on growth, **due to the high quality of the trees.**"

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★Early Red Bird—(Known in Canada as Crimson Beauty.) Earliest of all apples and strikingly beautiful—a fiery, flaming, scarlet red apple of good size that **ripens 7 to 10 days earlier than Yellow Transparent** and Red Astrachan. Tree strong growing, vigorous, extremely hardy, bears extremely young and produces tremendous annual crops. ***5c extra.***

Comes on the market **earlier than any other appl** and being wonderfully attractive have sold for **ble the price of Yellow Transparent** and chan. Just what the early apple grower wan big profit—a regular Gold Mine in Early Apple Sections. **Eating, Cooking, Market. NNCS.**

We do not hesitate to recommend Early Red Bird for home and commercial orchards—it is the long looked for extremely early apple for the commercial orchard. Prof. Sanders, Canadian Dept. Agri., says: **"Earliest apple,** young bearer—half bushel on 2-year trees; better shipper than Yellow Transparent. 15 acres in one year brought Mr. Chute 1,500 bbls., sold at $7.00—or $10,500.00." Mr. Adney, son-in-law of Mr. Sharpe, famous originator of this apple, says "Remarkably prolific, extremely hardy never winter kills. 10 days earlier than earliest early apple. **Occupies a place no other apple fills.**"

★Wealthy—***Fall.*** Best of all fall apples. Noted for its hardiness, and extensively grown East, West, North and South—**everywhere the best of its season.** Tree a strong, spreading grower, **bears extremely young and every year.** Remarkably free from disease and long lived. Fruit attractive, brilliant red striped, medium to large. Quality is superb—a wonderful **wine-like flavor,** and full of refreshing juice. **Eating, Cooking, Cider, Drying, Market. NNCS.**

★Paragon Winesap—***Late Winter.*** Fittingly called "The Glorified Winesap." Fruit large deep red, firm, mild, sub-acid, superb quality, keeps till late spring and does not scald. Tree grows to immense size, spreading, long-lived, bears tremendous crops. Do not confuse wi old M. B. Twig (Arkansas). Many so-called Paragon Winesa are simply inferior trees rightly known as "Little Paragon" or "Mammoth Black Twig." A big money-maker—one of the best Late Winter Keepers. **Cooking, Eating, Market. NCS.**

Jonathan Tree 5½ Mos. Old

Over 7 ft. high. One of 1000 Jonathans from Stark Nurseries—in famous orchard of H. T. Bigelow, Van Buren Co., Mich.—where over 5000 Stark Trees are flourishing.

★ DARK RED ROME BEAUTY

★Red Rome Beauty—***Winter.*** This magnificent apple—an improved strain, has every good point of the Rome Beauty, and in addition it is a brilliant dark red in color, adding tremendously to its market value. We are growing and fruiting several red strains of this popular old apple, but are concentrating on the Dark Red Strain from the orchard of U. T. Cox, Proctorville, Ohio—probably the most noted Rome Beauty grower in America. It is a **deep dark red apple,** large, tender, juicy, quality; hardy, one of the latest bloomers, and bears he crops every year. Last season it was **one of four varieti out of 200 in our orchards** that came through the killing late spring frosts and bore a crop of fruit. **Cooking, Eating, Market, Drying. NCS.** ***10c extra.***

"My Rome Beauties represent my **best commercial apples,** all things considered."—J. J. Peter, owner Kingston Orchards, Jackson Co., Ind.

"Our Rome Beauty in orchard in Ohio **withstood a freeze of 22 degrees when the orchard was in full bloom** and yet was able to force out enough buds to **produce a crop that netted us $100.00 an acre.**"—G. C. Starcher, Hort. Ala. Tech. Inst., Auburn, Ala.

Dark Red Rome Beauty Introduced by STARK BRO'S

★Rome Beauty—***Winter.*** Large light red apple, tender, juicy, and keeps well. Tree rather compact, slender branches. **Extremely late** bloomer, often escaping late spring frosts, bearing when early bloomers are caught; enormously productive, bears young, cooks evenly and quickly. **Cooking, Eating, Drying, Market. NCS.**

STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT

Stark's Select Red Apples

Varieties Marked with ★ and Printed in Red Type are the Very Best

★Stayman Winesap

Late Winter. Largest, handsomest, best of Winesaps. Our Stark-Heavy-Bearing Stayman trees are propagated from famous Hopkins (Va.) 22 Barrel tree. (See cut below.) Extra large; smooth, regular, beautiful bright red; juicy, crisp, mild, delightful flavor—one of the best known, best liked, most sought for apples. Tree strong, full of vigor; hardy, young, heavy bearer, long-reading. Prof. Scott, U. S. Dept. and leading authorities all want Fruit Trees from Heavy Bearing, Never-Failing Trees. So does every wise orchardist. We searched the U. S. for the finest Stayman tree with the heaviest bearing record and found it.

The great Stayman has proved and established itself as a Money Making Leader. Stayman is a seedling of Winesap, originated by Dr. Stayman, of Leavenworth, Kan., 40 years ago. We began its propagation in 1895. The originator wrote us: "It is worth more than the whole known race of Winter apples." EATING, COOKING, CIDER, MARKET. NCS.

"J. W. Reed took from one Stayman tree 13 boxes of the finest apples ever seen. He had, I expect, the best crop of apples ever grown in America on his Stayman Winesap trees. People drove for many miles to see it. His profits will be enormous."—L. W. Adams, Eddy Co., N. M.

Am more strongly confirmed in my good opinion of Stayman Winesap for either home orchards or commercial planting.—F. O. Harrington, Secy., Iowa Horticultural Society.

Stayman Winesap Average Size

Stayman Winesap.

APPLE PRICES—Sorts on Pages 12 and 13

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000	2000
6-7 ft.	$1.10	$10.00	$85	$550	$0.45
5 ft.	0.80	7.50	65	400	0.35
3-4 ft.	0.60	5.50	50	300	0.25

Double-Life Grimes Golden 10c per tree extra

Prices F. O. B. Nursery

Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate; 1000 at 2000 rate. Write for very low prices on larger quantities.

Most Popular

With us Stayman Winesap is by far the most popular winter variety. C. P. Close, State Horticulturist, Maryland.

Baldwin

Winter. Good Winter apple East, Fall apple West and South. Being replaced by better varieties, like Stark Delicious. NCS.

Kingham Improved

(Stark Strain.) *Late Summer.* Mottled red, crisp, juicy. Very young, sure bearer. Fine for cooking and cider. NCS.

★Champion (Trade-Mark).

Late Winter. Discovered in early 90's and introduced by us. Bright red, good quality. **Ship perfectly and keep till apples come again. Eating. Cooking. Drying. Market.** NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bros.**

Duchess (Oldenburg).

Summer. Medium size, red striped, mottled with crimson; sub-acid. Tree hardy, young bearer. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

★Early Melon

Fall. Large, splashed crimson, crisp, juicy. Tree hardy, bears full. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

★Giant Jeniton

(Trade-Mark). *Winter.* Best of Jeniton type. Introduced by us many years ago. Large fruit—makes best cider. Tree hardy. **Eating. Cooking. Cider. Market.** NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bros.**

★Senator (Trade Mark).

Late Winter. Dark cherry red colored apple. Discovered and introduced by us years ago. **Possess singular fine quality.** Hardy even in North. **Cooking. Eating. Cider. Market.** NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bros.**

Willow Twig

Late Winter. Large, pale green, blushed with red. Does **not** bear young. Subject to canker. **Market. Drying. Cooking.** NCS.

★Stark Sum. Queen

Summer. Large, bright red striped summer apple. A seedling of old Early Pennock, but earlier, better. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS. ***10c Extra.***

★Cortland

Early Winter. Very promising cross between McIntosh and Ben Davis developed at N. Y. Exp. Sta. Tender, juicy. **Keeps better than McIntosh.** Does especially well in New York and New England—succeeding other sections, too. **Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market.** NNCS. ***Price same as Golden Delicious—Page 4.***

★Liveland Raspberry

Early Summer. H. B. Fullerton, L. I. Exp. Sta., says: "Far and away the best early apple. Larger than Yellow Transparent, waxen white surface almost entirely overspread with a blush and stripings of pinkish red; flesh white as snow, tender, fine-grained, delightful quality. Tree upright, bears young, and can be planted as close as peaches. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

★Mammoth Black Twig

(Stark Strain-Gilbert). *Late Winter.* An improved strain that bears younger, is much better color, and better quality than the Old Arkansas (M. B. Twig). **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

McIntosh Red

Early Winter. Tender, juicy, with a peculiar fragrance. Beautiful crimson, flesh crisp, delicate—almost snow white. Trees propagated from selected Montana Red McIntosh orchard and **carefully kept pure.** Tree long-lived, hardy. Bears young. **Eating. Cooking. Drying. Cider. Market.** NNCS. ***10c extra.***

Northern Spy

Winter. Very slow in coming into bearing, susceptible to scab. Stark's Golden Delicious bore at 3 yrs. in N. Y. Exper. Station—6 yr. Baldwins failed to bear. NNCS.

Red June (Carolina)—

Early Summer. Flashing red apple. Tart, juicy. Scabs badly. **Cooking.** Wilson Red June better. NCS.

Other Apples

Gravenstein (Banks Red), Famense, Golden Winesap, Jefferis Red, Jeniton, Lowell, Mother, N. W. Greening, Paradise Sweet, R. I. Greening, White Winter Pearmain.

★Winesap

(*Stark Virginia strain.*) Late Winter. Rich-Wine-Flavored, late keeping variety, growing in popularity East, South, Central West and far West. In Virginia, where it is at its best, we for years looked for a superior Winesap tree. We finally found the **remarkable tree we were looking for** in the famous G. J. Hopkins Virginia orchard. In **Vigor** and **Regular, Heavy Bearing,** this tree certainly has the **Best Record in the U. S.** According to 8-year records, has **outborne** and **outgrown** any of the **other Winesaps**—and the **fruit is superior.** Last year it **bore 18 barrels,** the year before 16 barrels. During the entire **8-year period it averaged 15 barrels. Our Splendid "Virginia Strain" Winesap is from this Record Breaking Tree,** to which we have **Exclusive Propagating Rights. Eating, Cooking, Cider, Market. NCS.**

"Stayman Winesap this year was the largest apple I ever saw, larger than the Wolf River or Twenty Ounce."—W. H. Scott, Laclede Co., Mo.

★Wilson Red June

Summer. Enormous early apple. Glorious deep red. Ripens as Red June goes out; excellent quality. Tree hardy. Stood 40 degrees below zero without injury. Ships well. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NNCS.

Rambo Imperial

Early Fall. Of old Rambo type, but handsomer, larger, better. Red striped. Mild flavor. Has all good points of old Rambo without its faults; fruit does not crack. **Eating. Cooking. Drying.** NCS. ***10c Extra.***

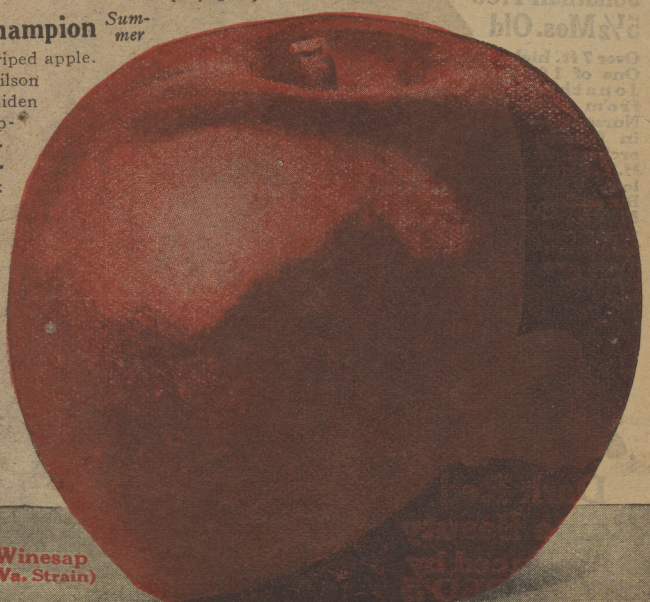
York Imperial (Johnsons'

Fine Winter). *Late Winter.* Large, lop-sided apple. Fair to good quality. Keeps well but has tendency to scald in storage. **Cooking. Market.** NCS.

★Summer Champion

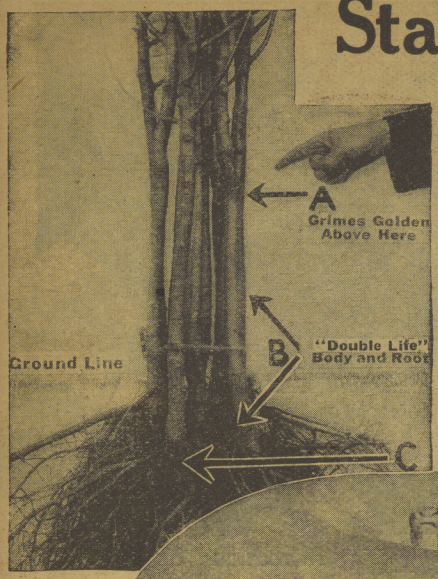
Summer. Brilliant red striped apple. Ripens between Wilson Red June and Maiden Blush. Best keeping, shipping summer sort. **Introduced by Stark Bros. Cooking. Eating. Market. Cider.** NCS.

The "Father Tree" of our Stayman Winesap trees Bore 22 barrels in one crop in famous Hopkins' (Va.) orchards. We propagate from wood of this neverfailing annual crop tree.



Winesap (Va. Strain)

Stark's Select Yellow Apple Trees



OF course, the apple trees illustrated and described in the forward pages of this little book are those which w recommend the strongest. They are **the** apple trees which will bring the greatest satisfaction and profit to th average commercial orchardist or home orchard owner. Here, however, are apple trees that many prefer. W can conscientiously recommend them—because we grow them ourselves, in our great chain of **Seven Branch Nurseries.** ***Other Varieties of apples not described, are listed in Price List.***

APPLE RIPENING SEASONS

In the list below, we arrange the varieties according to the season of ripening—the Earliest Sorts at the Top of the List; the Latest Winter Keepers at the bottom. It makes an easy selection for home orchards that will give fruit practically the year 'round. Varieties starred thus (*) are HIGHLY RECOMMENDED. **Those with one or more stars (*) and printed in big type are Wonderfully Fine, proved the absolute best of thei type and season.**

Adaptability—Throughout this book after each description are key letters, showing region where th variety thrives best—**N** means succeeds North; **NN**, fa North; **S**, South; **C**, Central. Hence **NCS** means suc ceeds everywhere—North, Central and South.

ORDER OF RIPENING

Early Summer
*Henry Clay (Trade-Mark)
*Liveland Raspberry
*Yellow Transparent
Early Harvest
Red June
Sweet Bough

Summer
*Stark Summer Queen
Duchess
*Wilson Red June
Red Jeffries
*Summer Champion
Maiden Blush

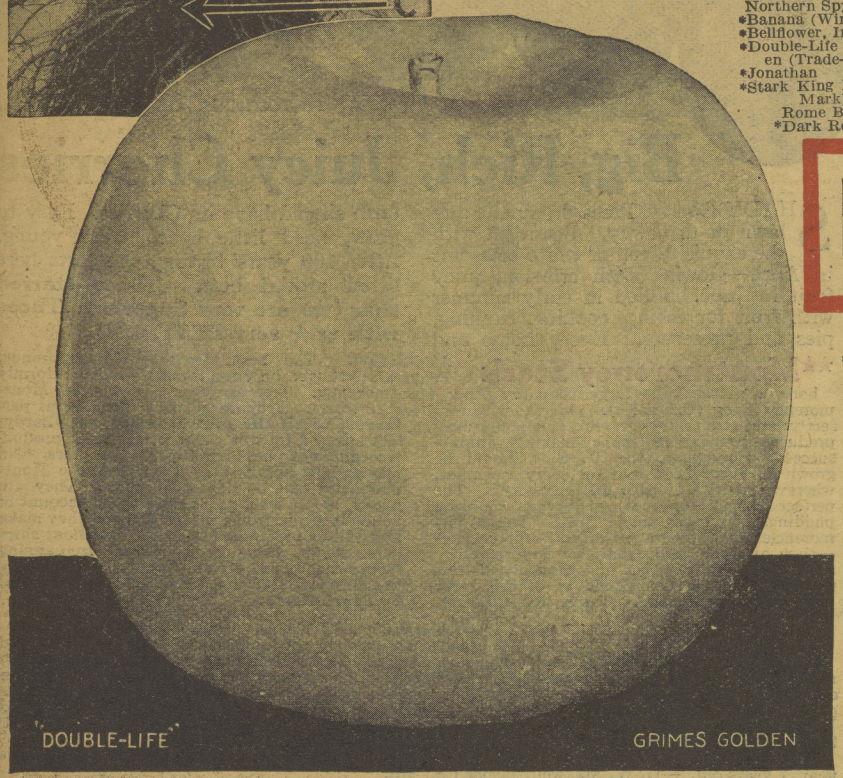
Winter
Baldwin
Northern Spy
*Banana (Winter Banana)
*Bellflower, Improved
*Double-Life Grimes Golden (Trade-Mark)
*Jonathan
*Stark King David (Trade-Mark)
Rome Beauty
*Dark Red Rome B'ty

Fall
Lowell
Gravenstein, Banks Red
*Early Melon
*Wealthy
Imperial Rambo
*Buckingham Imp.
Mother

Late Winter
Cortland
*Senator (Trade-Mark)
Paradise Winter Sweet
York Imperial
Mammoth Grimes Golden
*White Pippin
*Champion (Trade-Mark)
**Stayman Winesap
*Mammoth Black Twig Imp.

Early Winter
N. W. Greening
McIntosh Red
R. I. Greening

Late Winter (Cont'd)
*Paragon Winesap
**Winesap (Virginia Winesap)
Jeniton (Ralls Janet)
*Giant Jeniton (Trade-Mark)
**Stark Delicious (Trade-Mark)
**Stark's Golden Delicious (owned and sold only by us)
Willow Twig
**Black Ben (Trade-Mark)



DOUBLE-LIFE GRIMES GOLDEN
Stark Bros Trade Mark

Price 10 Cents More Than Prices on Page 12

***Winter.* The famous, spicy Grimes Golden Apple, for over 50 years the Queen of Quality among apples. Medium size, beautiful golden yellow, conical shape. Possesses **an alluring flavor** that is surpassed or **equalled by only one yellow apple--Stark's Golden Delicious.** A moderately spreading grower, makes a beautiful orchard tree. The tree trunk, however, is subject to collar rot and is short lived, but the Stark "Double-Life" Process of growing the tree eliminates this fault. This "Double Working" Process, Trade-Marked by Stark Bro's, as conceived and completed here at Louisiana, Mo., injects into Grimes Golden trees the blood of **long life—the stamina and roots of a sturdy tree.** The increasing vigor results in a Grimes Golden tree that will bear more, bigger and better apples. And—because it Doubles the Life of the Tree, it **more** than doubles the profit to the grower, for it adds years to the life of Grimes Golden trees. "Double-Life" Process is Trade-Marked and trees can be sold **only by Stark Bro's.** EATING, COOKING, CIDER, MARKET. NCS. **Trade-Marked and perfected by Stark Bro's.**

HOW THEY ARE GROWN

We start with carefully selected French Crab Roots. (See C in photo.) To each is grafted a long scion of sturdy Rot Resistant Stock, which forms the main mass of lusty root growth and the trunk. (See B in photo.) High up on this disease resistant "Double-Life" body, is added the Grimes Golden bud. (See A in photo.) Result—a "Double-Life" Grimes Golden tree. Wood of Grimes Golden well above ground. Can be no collar rot—and trunk becomes stronger at union than any other point.

COSTS MORE—BUT IT PAYS

This is an expensive process for us—requiring 3 full years in our nurseries to produce a one-year "Double-Life" Grimes Golden tree. But we have double reward in saving this great apple for American Orchardists and practically doubling its life.

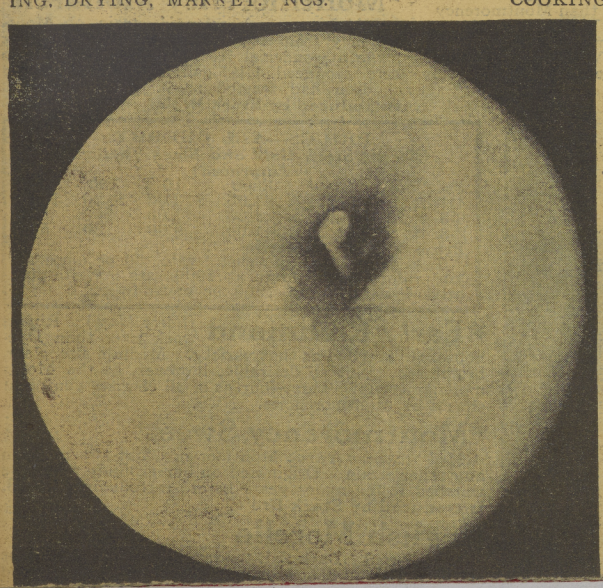
***Yellow Transparent** Ripens very early. Large, waxen yellow, crisp, sub-acid, fragrant. Tree upright, bears young. Blight is its great enemy. We prefer Henry Clay. EATING, MARKET, NNCS.

Sweet Bough **(Early Sweetheart)** *Summer.* Pale yellow medium size, delightfully flavored sweet apple. Tree rather bushy, bears well, fruit ripens thru a long season. Ideal dessert apple. EATING, DRYING. NCS.

***Banana** *Winter.* Clear yellow, pink blush. Has banana flavor. Requires careful handling. Golden Delicious superior. EATING, COOKING, DRYING, MARKET. NCS.

***Bellflower Improved** *Winter.* Kansas seedling of Bellflower. Originator says: "Outbears all others; never failed since five years old." EATING, COOKING, DRYING, MARKET. NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

***Early Harvest** *Summer.* Pale yellow, slightly sub-acid, fair quality; an old favorite, but it scabs. Henry Clay is better, larger, more satisfactory and more profitable. EATING, COOKING, MARKET. NCS.



Maiden Blush
Early Fall. Grown by us for over half century. Pale lemon yellow, bright blush. Vigorous, spreading, sometimes blights. COOKING, EATING, DRYING, MARKET. NCS.

White Pippin **(Col. Brackett Strain.)** *Winter.* Special strain from W.Va., sent to us by the U.S. Pomologist as best type of this apple. Vigorous grower, hardy, bears big crops every year. Fruit large to very large, a light waxen yellow. Stark's Golden Delicious far superior. COOKING, EATING, MARKET, DRYING. NCS. ***10c Extra.***

CRAB APPLE PRICES			
1st Class	Each	10	100
4-7 ft.	$1.50	$13.00	$120
3-5 ft.	1.25	11.00	100
2-3 ft.	1.00	9.00	80

Prices F. O. B. Nursery
Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate.

***Stark Florence Crab—Red**
Summer. "Worth all others put together." Most valuable crab we have tested—and we have fruited them all. Bright, ruby red, striped crimson. Tree dwarf, spreading, young bearing, extremely hardy, blight resistant, in blossom a marvelous sight—ideal ornamental for lawn. Delicious for sauce, wonderful for jelly, jam, preserves, cider; the housewife's favorite. Plant close—12 feet; splendid filler. EATING, COOKING, MARKET, CIDER. NNCS.

***Stark Gold Crab** Beautiful New Golden Crab. Perfect crab for jelly. Tree hardy as an Oak; vigorous; bears big crops. COOKING, MARKET. NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

***Henry Clay** (Trade-Mark) *Very Early Summer.* Large pale yellow with crimson cheek. Looks like Maiden Blush, but is better, more beautiful, 2 months earlier, and ripens its crop quickly and evenly. Tree strong growing, spreading, regular and abundant bearer; blooms late, is hardy and is earlier, larger, better quality and a better shipper than Yellow Transparent. Commands top prices on all markets and its value is being recognized by orchard planters everywhere. Should be planted in every home orchard as well it comes on the market when people are apple hungry. EATING, COOKING, MARKET. NCS.

"Best extra early apple."—Frank Femmons, Calif. "The most delicious apple I ever tasted."—R. F. Rutledge, Tenn. "Very hardy and thrifty; yellow, reddish cheek, very fine flavor."—M. Roach, Mont.

Northwestern Greening *Early Winter.* A large green-

Introduced by Stark Bro's

Big, Rich, Juicy Cherries

SHADY Cherry Trees ornament any lawn or driveway. Beautiful with the exquisite veil of white blossoms in April—glowing with crimson, juicy fruit in June. Filled in early summer with fruit for eating, cooking, canning, pies and preserves. Every home and farm should have its Cherries. Easy to grow, need little space, bear young. After 100 years' testing, the sorts here listed proved best. **Those starred thus (★) are very Superior. Those with ★★ very BEST.**

**Montmorency Stark

Mid-Season. The best strain of Montmorency. From a select tree on our grounds which uniformly bore very large fruit—larger than any other Montmorency. Tree stronger grower than Montmorency King (Ordinaire). Our favorite for over 20 years. Fruit large, flesh firm, ships perfectly: tree strong grower, sure and young bearer, **largest of all the sour cherries,** very hardy; produces tremendous money-making crops—less affected by wet weather, are most productive succeeds throughout the U. S. Should be and bear best fruit of all the sours. No grown on every farm and on every town lot, matter how unfavorable the season, the Montwherever there's a space 10 feet square. The morencies can be depended upon. They are perfect variety for pies, preserves, cobblers, hardy, bloom late, sure bearers. On account of puddings and other good "eats." The Mont- young bearing, semi-dwarfish growth, they make morencies are the best "so-called" sour cherries ideal fillers for apple orchards. Excellent ship—they are not really sour, for Montmorency pers, always bring good prices. In canning when fully ripe is sweet and luscious. Three- factories they are preferred and are wanted by fourths of all cherries should be of this type. the thousands of tons. NNCS. **Introduced** They are the most perfect in tree, resist disease, **by Stark Bro's.**

*Montmorency King

(Ordinaire.) *Mid-Season.* Cannot be too highly recommended for quality and quantity of fruit, hardiness and beauty of tree, and unfailing crops. Ripens a week or 10 days after Early Richmond. The Montmorency is the most widely planted of all sour cherries, but there are not one-half enough grown to supply the demand for the fruit. The trees do not require much care, and they produce immense crops every year—no matter how unfavorable the season may be. Montmorency Stark and Montmorency King are ideal for the market orchards, the home orchard, and the small yard. Should be planted everywhere. NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

"I have several of your Montmorency King cherry trees. I picked 25 gallons off one tree this year, 7 years old."—G. W. Maxwell, Jasper Co., Mo.

*Suda Hardy

Late. Wherever a late cherry is wanted, plant Suda Hardy. Tree perfectly hardy and fruit is produced in immense quantities. English Morello type, but larger, not quite so acid, better quality and the tree produces larger crops. Ripens 10 days after the Montmorencies are gone. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

*Montmorency Large

(Early.) Somewhat larger than Montmorency King. Ripens a little later. Growers should be careful in buying Montmorency Large. Ours is from Dansville, New York. Some other strains have proven worthless. NNCS.

*Dyehouse

Earliest of All. A better cherry than Early Richmond; a week earlier, larger, smaller seed—best very early variety. Grown largely all over the United States. Tree thrifty, unusually strong grower, good bearer and in every way satisfactory. Dyehouse, Montmorency Stark and Suda Hardy, is a combination that gives fruit during entire cherry season. Recommended for general planting. NNCS.

*Montmorency Monarch

Mid-Season. A splendid strain of Montmorency from Iowa Exper. Station, where it made a wonderful record. 70 Monarch trees here produced 1,175 gallons after birds and children had feasted many times. NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

PRICES—ALL CHERRY
(Except Stark Gold and Black Tartarian Improved)

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000
4-7 ft.	$1.50	$13.00	$120	$900
3-5 ft.	1.25	11.00	100	600
2-3 ft.	1.00	9.00	80	500

Prices F. O. B. Nurseries

Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate. Write for attractive prices on 1000 or more trees.

*Early Richmond

(Early May.) Ripens week later than Dyehouse, not so good as that variety. Medium size, clear, bright red. Not so desirable, however, as the Montmorency group. Three-fourths of all cherries you plant should be Montmorencies. NCS.

*Montmorency Sweet

Mid-Season. A true Montmorency, but sweeter than any other strain. Originated on our grounds where we watched it for many years before introducing. NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

English Morello

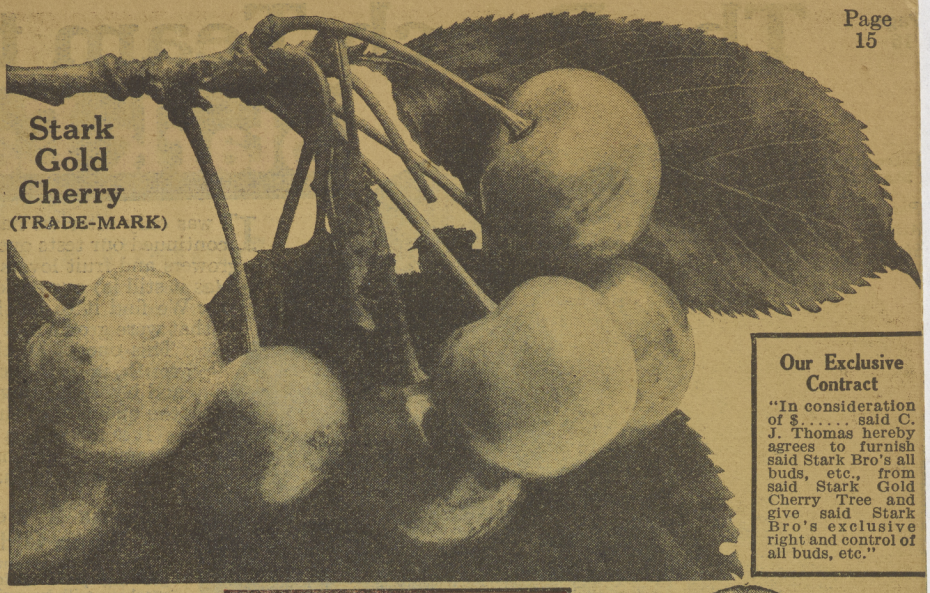
(Very Late.) Dark red, tender, juicy, very acid; tree small, spreading, poor grower, not as hardy or long lived

Glorious Sweet

*STARK GOLD

Owned and Sold Only by Stark Bro's

Cherries



Stark Gold Cherry (TRADE-MARK)

Our Exclusive Contract

"In consideration of $..... said C. J. Thomas hereby agrees to furnish said Stark Bro's all buds, etc., from said Stark Gold Cherry Tree and give said Stark Bro's exclusive right and control of all buds, etc."

AT last we can offer a sweet cherry that is **really hardy.** Stark Gold Cherry came from Richardson Co., Neb., and was introduced by Stark Bro's. We quote Mr. Thomas, the originator: "Surpassed in hardiness any cherry on my place. Thermometer often registers 40 degrees below zero, and average winter reaches 25 to 30 below. Stark Gold never misses a crop. Sells for 3 times the price of other cherries." The fruit is of immense size, **glossy, almost transparent, pure, lustrous golden color** without a single touch of red, and the **quality is superb.** It ripens about 2 weeks later than Early Richmond, but will hold on to the tree 10 days after ripening. Cherry growers throughout the whole country are enthusiastic over this wonderful sweet cherry and we have never been able to grow enough to supply the demand. **Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market.** NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

Trees Full of Great Big Glowing Golden Cherries. My Stark Gold Cherry blossomed less than fourteen months after being set out and matured five or six cherries. It has borne every year since and this is the third year.—Mrs. J. S. Brown, Connecticut.

STARK GOLD CHERRY PRICES

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000
4-7 ft.....	$2.00	$18.00	$160	$1200
3-5 ft.....	1.75	16.00	140	1000
2-3 ft.....	1.50	13.00	120	800

Prices F. O. B. Nurseries

Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate.

Magnificent 1-Year-Old Stark Gold Cherry Trees in Our Nursery.

*Black Tartarian Improved

Best of all Black Sweet Cherries

(Deacon) (*Early.*) A large, black, heart-shaped, tender, juicy, sweet cherry of surpassing quality. Tree an upright, dense grower, remarkably vigorous and a regular bearer of immense crops. This variety in the orchard of B. Newhall & Son, Leelanau Co., Mich., produced fruit which sold at the rate of over $4,000 per acre. This is a greatly improved seedling of the old Black Tartarian, locally known as Deacon. Wherever sweet cherries will grow, we unhesitatingly recommend this variety. In the East and Central West the best, hardiest, earliest and most profitable sweet cherry. Black sweet cherries are always in big demand. Note the enormous crop-producing ability of this great sugary, black cherry that brings such high prices on the fancy markets. NNCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**—*25c above* *Cherry Prices Page 14.*

Napoleon (*Late.*) A large, yellow, **sweet** cherry, attractively blushed with pink—beautiful and delicious. Largely grown in the West and in all sweet cherry sections. Ships well and is one of the finest for canning. Strong, hardy tree and bears immense crops. NCS.

Most Productive and Most Profitable. Napoleon cherry the most productive of the yellow sweet cherries; fruit large, heart-shaped, and mottled with red, texture firm, and quality fair. The trees are hardy and thrifty; one of the most profitable sweet cherries on trial. Very firm; valuable both for home use and market. Vigorous, productive—bore the heaviest crop of any sweet on trial.—Michigan Exper. Station.

Napoleon Cherry

STARK TREES BEAR FRUIT — STARK TRADE MARK — REG U S PATENT OFFICE

***Lambert** (*Late.*) One of the largest of all **sweet** cherries and the best in quality. Dark, purplish red, turning almost jet black when ripe; firm, rich, juicy and of splendid quality. Tree rugged, strong grower and bears enormous crops. Prize winners everywhere. Popular wherever sweet cherries grow. There is an immense market for this fruit, fresh, canned or preserved. *10c Extra.* NCS. **Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market.**

Weighed in the balance and not found wanting in size, firmness, flavor, beauty or color. Unequaled in size, flavor superior to any of the other varieties, having firmness and keeping qualities that carry it thousands of miles in perfect condition. Its beauty gives it first place and highest price in any market.—Oregon Hort. Society.

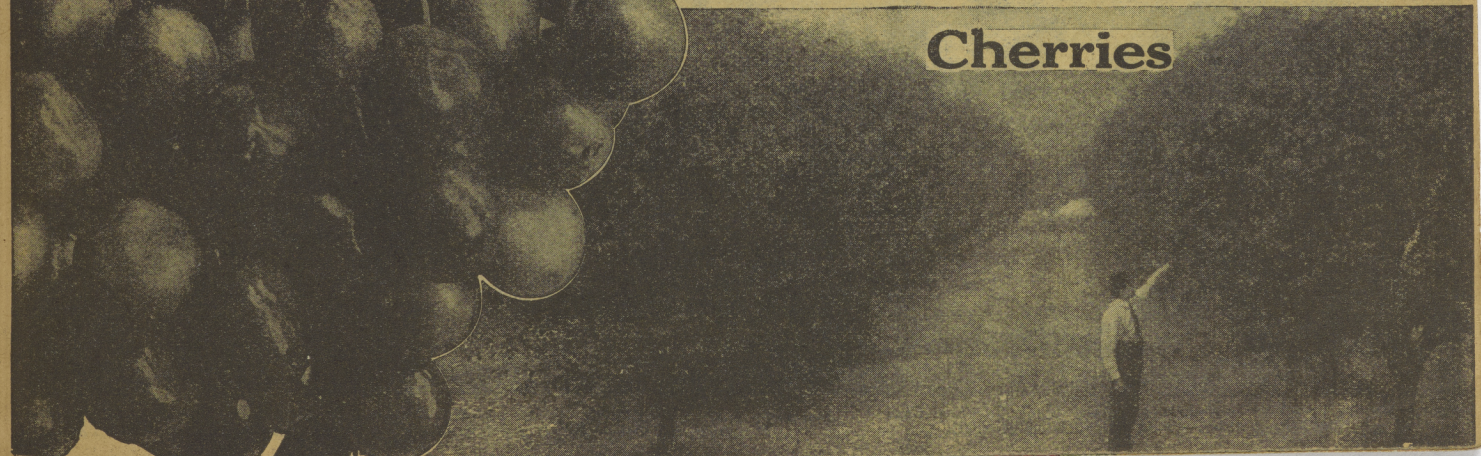
Certainly a magnificent cherry; the largest received this season.—S. B. Heiges, U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Wonderful Montmorency Cherry Orchard (all Stark Trees), Bore 2,350 Gallons per Acre. A Marvelous Money-Maker.

***Bing** (*Late.*) **Sweet**

One of the most delicious **sweet** cherries, and on the Pacific Coast is considered one of the most profitable and best shippers. Seems to succeed East better than most sweets. Tree hardy, foliage heavy, productive; should be followed by Lambert, which ripens later. Both these great sorts are the favorites in all sections where sweet cherries are grown. NCS. **Eating, Cooking, Canning, Market.**

Plant More Cherries. Large, sweet, big black Bing and Lambert cherries are what we should encourage the growers to plant. Some of the large shippers told us to urge our fruit-growers to plant more cherries, as those grown here are the best in the world and can reach the large markets from six weeks to two months after the California cherries have arrived. — A. J. Breitenstein, Missoula Co.



The Peach Team that Hauls—

Stark Early Elberta—

Introduced by Stark Bro's

Photographed Actual Size

Specimen from Stark Early Elberta Trees in Orchard of Dr. E. L. Morris, Fayette Co., Tenn. These were the biggest, handsomest peaches we ever saw—averaged 16 ounces.

IT was only after we had tested over 4,000,000 peach seedlings—and had continued our tests over 30 years, that we gave out to the world of fruit-growers and fruit lovers the announcement that **Stark Early Elberta** was (as it still is) our preference of all the Elberta type.

We find it to be the best of the more than 4,000,000 peach seedlings that were grown and sent out for testing by us.

This one of all the trees tested proved itself far superior in quick growth, in resistance to disease, drouths and climatic changes, in young and heavy bearing, in bearing regularly and in the quality, as well as the quantity of the fruit it bears.

It is not only a magnificent peach in appearance (so that it always commands top-market prices) but it possesses the advantage over old Elberta, in that it

Ripens 2 Weeks Earlier Than Old Elberta

That is an advantage that the man growing peaches for the high-price markets will be quick to see. Stark Early Elberta pays growers **more** because it **is** and early ripener and because it possesses such remarkable quality. It's a big, glorious peach, with very little fuzz—golden yellow, blushed with carmine and with tender melting buttery flesh that is simply packed with honey-sweet juice.

Holds World's Shipping Record—Over 11,000 Miles Without Damage

That's the famous Peach Shipment Record you have read about in all farm papers. **From** Utah to the office of the Rural New Yorker, in New York City Then reshipped to Prof. Wickson, Director of Calif. Agric. Exper. Station. By him, **again** shipped to Editor of Fruit Grower—and then once more re-packed and re-shipped to Stark Bro's, Louisiana, Mo.

The total of the journey was **11,509 Miles without an ounce of ice.** The Stark Early Elberta Peaches withstood the hardships of this record-breaking trip splendidly. They reached us at the end "fresh as a daisy"—the color still a pure unblushed gold—and sweet as honey-dew.

Brought $6.00 Per Bu. in Illinois

"Stark Early Elberta sold at Mt. Sterling, Ill., for $3.00 per bushel, and sold as high as $6.00 in many instances."—R. M. Barnett, Brown Co., Ill.

Bore at 2 Years in Kans.

"My Stark Early Elberta trees bore their first crop at 2 years. It is the hardiest, most profitable and superior in quality to any other."—O. J. Taylor, M. D., Sedgwick, Kans.

Warning to Peach Growers

Several inferior so-called Early Elbertas have been grown by others. Just because they ripened a few days ahead of Elbertas they were called "Early" Elbertas. We have found, after careful investigation, that they are not the **genuine** Stark Early Elberta, but entirely different varieties originating in other sections. Be sure you get the genuine. Stark Bro's have a contract for the exclusive propagating rights of all **genuine** trees owned by Dr Gleason, the originator.

Stark Bro's Exclusive Contract for Stark Early Elberta

In consideration of $..... the said Sumner Gleason (the originator of Stark Early Elberta) does hereby grant, assign and set over unto Stark Bro's the exclusive right and control of all stock and buds of the original tree to the sole use and control of Stark Bro's; said Sumner Gleason agrees to personally supervise the cutting of buds from original bearing tree or any parent tree.

Grow As Big As A Pint Cup

"Stark Early Elberta in my orchard were larger than a pint cup and nearly 20 days earlier than old Elberta. Could not supply the demand."—S. W. Gray, Pendleton Co., Ky.

Finest Commission Men Ever Saw

"My Stark Early Elberta had a fine crop last year. Commission men said they were the best they had seen on the market."—C. C. Pickering, Fairfield Co., Ohio.

Sells for 100 Per Cent More Than Old Elberta

"The fact that Stark Early Elberta reaches the market a week to 10 days ahead of original Elberta often makes a difference of 100 per cent increase on the market price. **There is no peach that compares with it for quality.** Its habit of young, heavy bearing makes it all that could be desired. Trees are vigorous and hardy."—U. F. Hansen, Logan, Utah.

Glorious, golden Stark Early Elberta peaches like these brought Louis Siebert, Taney Co., Mo., $3.60 per crate when old Elberta brought merely $1.45.

STARK EARLY ELBERTA AND J. H. HALE PRICES

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000
3-5 ft.....	$0.70	$6.50	$55.00	$400
4-7 ft.....	0.85	8.00	70.00	500
6-8 ft.....	1.10	9.50	85.00	650

Prices F. O. B. Nursery

Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate. Write for very low prices on larger quantities.

Average Specimens Grown in the Same Orchard Under Identical Conditions (old Elberta at left—Stark Early Elberta at right).

3-year-old Stark Early Elberta. Orchard of Mr. Knudson Heavily Loaded with Magnificent Peaches.

Original Stark Early Elberta Tree. See Stark Bro's Exclusive Contract Above.

Largest Riches to All Growers!

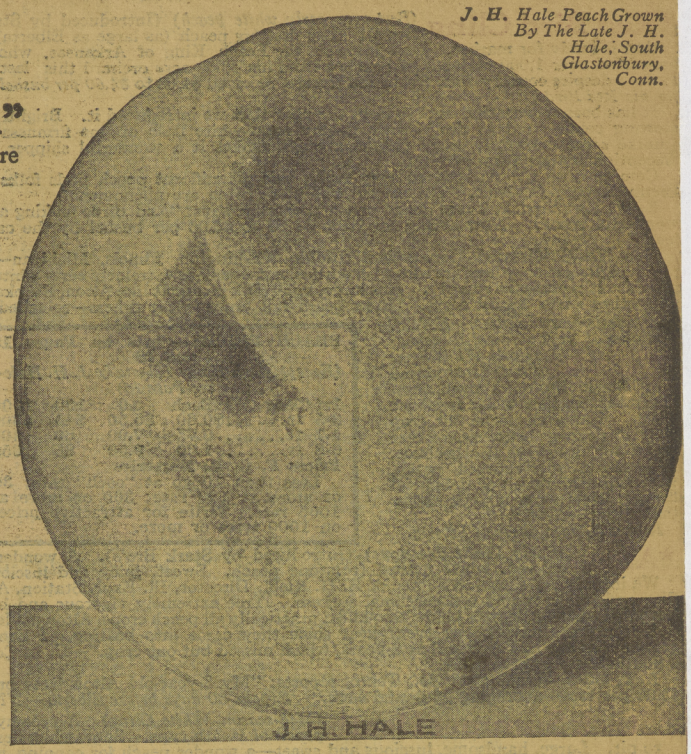
J. H. Hale

Here's the "Million-Dollar Peach"

This famous peach is a Mid-Season ripener—ready to be picked just before Elberta. It is the wonderful yellow Freestone that has been talked about all over the nation.

Originated by Mr. J. H. Hale, "The Peach King." In size, color, texture, flavor, keeping and shipping qualities, J. H. Hale surpasses old Elberta. Often sells for $5.00 per bushel when Elberta brings $3.50. Mammoth in size, vivid carmine over golden yellow, almost perfectly round, fuzzless and smooth as a glove. Commands instant attention on all markets by its Giant size and glorious color. Flesh solid like a cling, yet melting, tender, free from grain and stringiness, is of **exquisite peachy flavor** —without any of the bitter tang of Elberta; almost as firm as a clingstone.

J. H. Hale Peach Grown By The Late J. H. Hale, South Glastonbury, Conn.



A Wonder Shipper

Shipping ability is really marvelous;—have been actually shipped in barrels like potatoes—1,000 miles and arrived in good condition. Tree a stocky grower, often bears at 2 years old Bears heavily and has proved its adaptability to a wide range of soils and climates but does best in good land. The N. J. Exp. Sta. says—"From our experience J. H. Hale is a much superior peach commercially to Elberta—and an extraordinarily good shipper.".

Sell for $5.00 Bushel in Ind.

Among the best known orchards in America are the Simpson orchards at Vincennes, Ind. For several years J. H. Hale has been their big profit maker. Last summer when most peaches were killed J. H. Hale produced a big crop and **brought $5.00** per bushel. The Simpsons consider it their greatest money-maker.

22° Below Zero—No Injury

"J. H. Hale is beyond any claims made for it. Elberta froze out at 22° below zero, Hale came through without injury. Very large fruit; very vigorous. Rapid grower. Will displace Old Elberta in future plantings."—N. P. Mead, Chelan Co.

J. H. Hale in America's Largest Peach Orchard

"Spent three years in the largest peach orchard in America—the Bert Johnson Orchards at Nashville, Ark. Saw J. H. Hale coming into bearing alongside Elberta and I know it is **all you claim** in size and flavor."—Henry Leaton, Garland Co., Ark.

Free from Disease

"The J. H. Hale is the greatest peach I ever saw Must say they are **better than anything else** I have. Your Hale trees are absolutely free from any disease."—Jas. M. Mount, Montgomery Co., Md.

Marvelous Yield $1,420.00 per Acre

J. H. Hale trees have yielded such enormous crops of such fancy fruit that they have actually produced the astonishing profit of $1,420.00 per acre on one year's crop. Quoting from Southern Farming: "From this one acre of J. H. Hale trees, we harvested 748 bushels, which would make practically 1,500 full peach baskets and 1,000 six-basket crates, 95% of this fruit was in first class, merchantable condition and sold the next morning at an average of 60% higher than the old Elberta."

Big Nor. Car. Grower Praises J. H. Hale

"J. H. Hale peach is far superior to any other kind, larger, much better color, better taste, stand shipping much better."—T. S. Welton, Oakwoods, N. C.

$34,000.00 for One Crop From 65-Acre Orchard

Prof. F. D. Garrison, Field Agent, Tennessee Horticultural Society, recently wrote:

"List and Downey's peach orchard, **only 6 years old,** produced **16,800** bushels from 65 acres this year. Has not missed a crop since it was 3 years old. Trees are J. H. Hale, Elberta . . . . Net income from orchard was $34,000.00."

This Man Planted 14,000 J. H. Hales

Hon. Parker Earle, Ex-Pres. American Hort. Soc., who planted 14,000 Hale, wrote: "I have fruited J. H. Hale this past season from trees planted last year. I had specimens 3¼ and 3½ inches in diameter. They grow as **large as Stark** Early Elberta."

Former R. R. Man Grows Amazing J. H. Hale Peaches on $10 Land—With Stark Trees

The photo at right shows crop on 4-year-old J. H. Hale Tree in orchard of J. C. Taylor, Ross Co., Ohio. He was a railroad car inspector 7 years ago. Inspired by reading a Stark Fruit Book, he bought 30 acres of cheap, thicket land for $10 an acre—on 5 years' time. He planted it to Stark Trees (including Stark Delicious) and used J. H. Hale and Stark Early Elberta peach trees as fillers.

His J. H. Hale peaches (from Stark Trees) were the finest shown at the Ohio State Hort. Soc. meeting. **They sold for 25 cents per peach and the demand was greater than the supply.** (See article from Columbus, Ohio, Citizen under peach basket cut below.)

J. H. Hale Peach Trees Are Very Scarce This Year!

You must ORDER QUICK if you want your J. H. Hale trees this season. There was a tremendous amount of reserve orders placed last Fall. Remember—we sold out of J. H. Hale trees **before March 1st last year! ORDER NOW!**

Photo from Columbus, Ohio, CITIZEN—Sept. 19

A Happy J. H. Hale Boy

"Can You Beat These Peaches—Big as Cantaloupes?"

—From Columbus, Ohio, Citizen

Here's part of the enthusiastic praise of J. C. Taylor's J. H. Hale Peaches (grown on Stark Trees) published in the Columbus, Ohio, **Citizen** last September 19: **"Peaches as big as cantaloupes**—that is what you see in this 18-inch basket (above). These (J. H. Hale) peaches were grown by J. C. Taylor on the north side of a big hill in northwestern Ross Co. Some are almost 5 inches in diameter. Experts pronounced them the finest they had ever seen and expressed the opinion that these peaches were the finest in the world. Mr. Taylor disposed of his fruit at 25 cents per peach."

"I Give the Credit For My Success to Stark Trees!"

—writes J. C. Taylor, Ross Co., Ohio (standing beside loaded tree above). "And the advice I received from Stark's in regard to the selection of varieties. **I planted some of the old time varieties from other nurseries, but they never amounted to anything. In fact, I cut the most of them out last fall.**

"We have planted 40 acres more just north of Springfield and intend to plant 60 acres more. Are planting **all** Stark Trees.

"Our peach trees began bearing 3 years ago—and we have picked 3 crops from them. **Your J. H. Hale and Stark Early Elberta are certainly wonders. I get twice as much money for my peaches grown on Stark Trees** as the other fellows do with their Elbertas and old time varieties.

"And 7 years ago I didn't know any more about a fruit tree than I did about an aeroplane."

Our "Silver Medal" Peach Selection

Of White-Fleshed Varieties

***Red Bird Cling** (*Best very early white peach*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's). The first *big* peach (as large as Elberta) that is ready for market. Bert Johnson, the Peach King of Arkansas, who harvested over 1,000 carloads of peaches from his 4,600-acre orchard this last year, despite country-wide frosts and freezes, received $4.00 to *$4.50 per bushel for his Red Birds.*

It has been a sensation almost from the year that we introduced it. Bright, glowing color—"red as fire"—with creamy snow-white flesh of fine firmness (unlike some extremely early peaches) which makes it a wonderful shipper. Exceptionally free from rotting.

Coming onto the markets so very early, this magnificent peach finds folks keenly hungry for fruit. The prices Red Birds bring are phenomenal.

E. W. Kirkpatrick, Texas' great peach authority, says: "Red Birds making a wonderful record. Now selling for from $4.00 to $6.00 per bushel by the car-load."

New York, Missouri, Connecticut, Idaho, Washington, Illinois, Michigan—peach regions everywhere are wild with enthusiasm over this extremely early white peach. It is extremely hardy. Has large, light pink blossoms like Alton, Eureka and other extra hardy sorts. Often bears full crops when others—so-called hardy sorts—are failures.—*NNCS.*

Ripens 45 days ahead of Elberta.

PEACH PRICES—Sorts on Pages 18 and 19
(*Except Stark Early Elberta & J. H. Hale—see Page 16*)

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000
3-5 ft.....	$0.60	$5.50	$45	$300
4-7 ft.....	0.75	7.00	60	400
6-8 ft.....	1.00	9.50	85	650

Prices F. O. B. Nurseries
Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate. Write for attractive prices on 1000 trees or more.

***Eureka** (*Early White Freestone*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's). Proved absolutely the hardiest white freestone peach. Has even borne fair crop after 32 degrees below zero freeze that totally destroyed all other buds. A beautiful rosy-cheeked peach, with milk-white flesh of delightful flavor. Ripe about a week earlier than Alton.—*NNCS.*

Ripens 35 days ahead of Elberta.

***Alton** (*Early White Freestone*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's). A wonderfully colored, white fleshed freestone peach. Sweet, juicy and luscious.

We introduced Alton on advice of E. H. Riehl, Director, Ill. Expr. Station, Alton, Ill.—and it has scored a sensational success. Tree extremely vigorous and hardy. Recently when 32 degrees below zero killed practically all peach crops, Alton made crop.

"Alton trees have borne every year since they came into bearing. I know one grower who has had Altons 8 or 9 years, which missed but one crop."—U. L. Coleman, a South Missouri orchardist.

J. T. Giles, Washington Co., Tenn., reports: "My 3-year-old Alton trees produced $8.00 per tree—averaging ¾ pound each." *Ripens 30 days before Elberta.—NNCS.*

***Stark Summer Heath** (*Mid-season White Cling*) A creamy white peach of Heath type. Snow white flesh clear to pit. Large, handsome, luscious and sweet—a wonder peach for canning, requires very little sugar. Extremely hardy tree. Sure, heavy bearer. *Ripens 7 days after Elberta.* Should be planted in every family orchard.—*NNCS.*

***Illinois** (*Trade Mark*) (*Mid-season White Freestone*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's). A large, handsome, ruddy cheeked peach with pure white flesh, juicy, spicy, highest flavor. Exceptionally hardy. Remarkably free from rot. Ships splendidly.

Growers of Illinois peaches send us enthusiastic congratulations on introducing this peach: "I had 17 quarts from 2 two-year-old Illinois trees and thinned half at that."—B. O. Bogert, Bergen Co., N. J. *Ripens about 10 days after Elberta.—NNCS.*

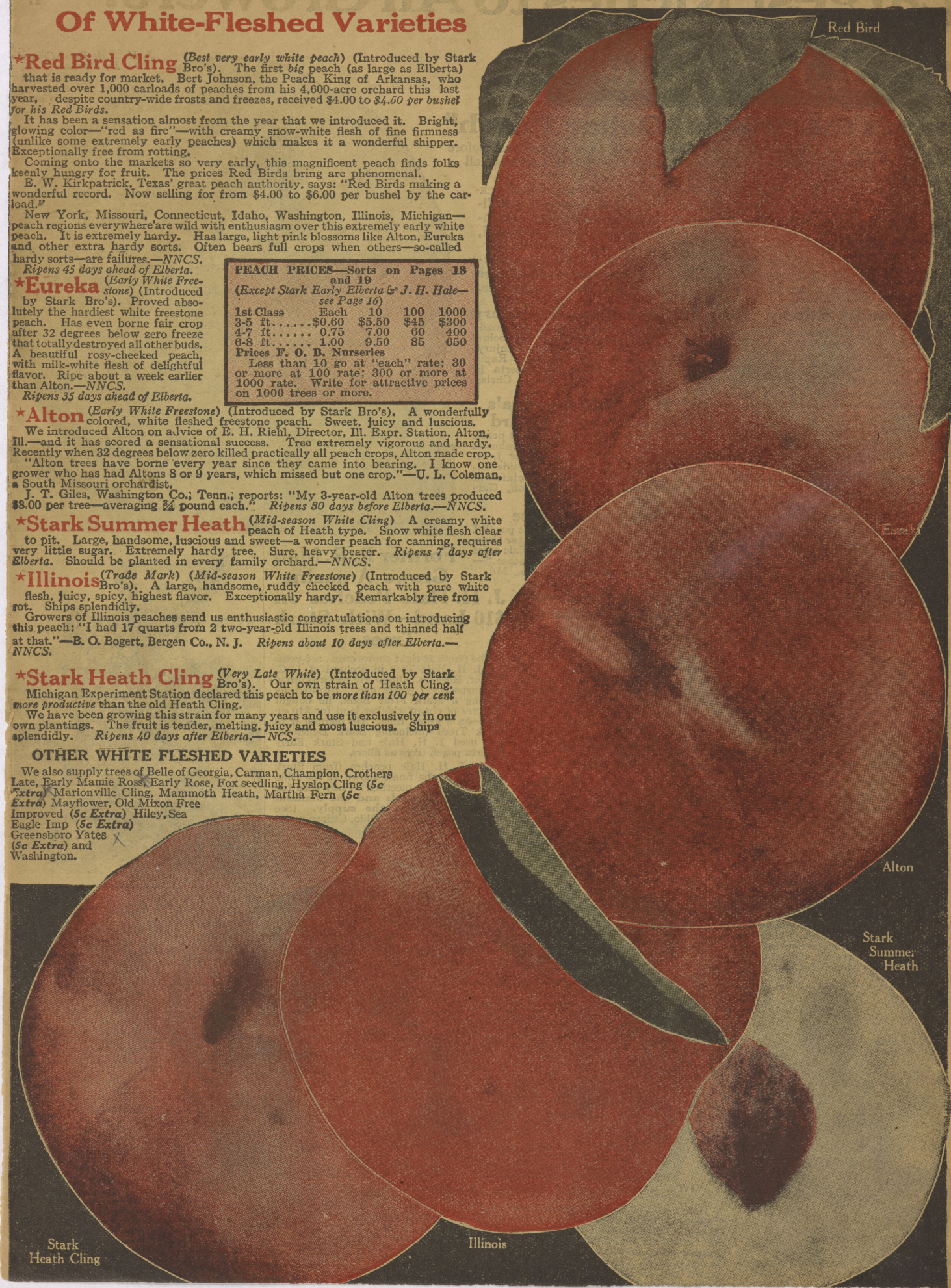
***Stark Heath Cling** (*Very Late White*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's). Our own strain of Heath Cling.

Michigan Experiment Station declared this peach to be *more than 100 per cent more productive* than the old Heath Cling.

We have been growing this strain for many years and use it exclusively in our own plantings. The fruit is tender, melting, juicy and most luscious. Ships splendidly. *Ripens 40 days after Elberta.—NCS.*

OTHER WHITE FLESHED VARIETIES

We also supply trees of Belle of Georgia, Carman, Champion, Crothers Late, Early Mamie Ross, Early Rose, Fox seedling, Hyslop Cling (*5c Extra*) Marionville Cling, Mammoth Heath, Martha Fern (*5c Extra*) Mayflower, Old Mixon Free Improved (*5c Extra*) Hiley, Sea Eagle Imp (*5c Extra*) Greensboro Yates (*5c Extra*) and Washington.



Our "Gold Medal" Peach Selection

Of Yellow-Fleshed Varieties

★June Elberta (*Earliest Yellow Semi-Freestone*) The earliest ripening pea of the Elberta type—ripens at the same time as Red Cling. By planting June Elberta, Stark Early Elberta, J. H. Hale, Elberta Cling, Elber Queen (our own strain), Late Elberta and Krummel October, you are assured a successic of glorious yellow peaches from June till heavy frosts.

It is a great big, handsome peach that ripens with the very earliest—and *resists r* Because of high color, large size and good shipping qualities, it brings top prices ever where. The trees are enormously productive, young bearers, vigorous and hardy. Wi *thrive* wherever peaches grow.

Wm. H. Welch, Salem, Mo., reports: "Half bushel to three pecks June Elberta c 2-year-old tree. By far the best early peaches I ever saw. They ripen evenly, th flavor is fine and the flesh is a deep rich yellow clear to the seed."

B. Carine, the Peach King of Connecticut, writes: "One of the heaviest bearers my orchard—a great money maker."

Ripens 34 days before Elberta.— NNCS.

★Stark Early Elberta (*Early Yellow Freestone*) (Introduced by Star Bro's.) The greatest of the Elberta type. S page 16 for full description and ***Prices.***

Ripens 14 days before Elberta.— NNCS.

★Elberta Cling (*Mid-season Yellow Peach*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's An Elberta—with all the Elberta characteristics of heav bearing, great size, and splendid flavor, except it is a cling-stone. It is an exceptiona fine cling—and as such always will demand a big price on the market. This is esp cially true because it is such a fine shipper, a tremendous producer. J. C. Blyth Buchanan Co., Mo., reports, "From 6 trees I gathered more *than 100 baskets.*" Profitable because *good* cling peaches are always *scarce* Ideal for pickling, cannin and preserving.

The tree is a sure cropper—bears heavily—and has never disappointed us in man years in our test orchards.

Ripens 3 days before Elberta.— NCS.

★J. H. Hale (*Mid-season Yellow Freestone*) The wonderful money-makin team-mate of Stark Early Elberta. See page 17 for full descrip tion and ***Prices.***

Ripens same time as Elberta or can be picked a few days earlier.—NCS.

★Elberta (*Queen*) (*Mid-season Yellow Freestone*) For years the standar peach for commercial orchards. Many years of ex perimenting, observation and testing enable us to offer peaches of the Elbert type ripening throughout the season. Plant June Elberta, Stark Early Elberta J. H. Hale Elberta, Late Elberta, October Elberta and Krummel October for bi profits. Our "Queen" strain of Elberta is a select one— *NCS.*

★Krummel October Greatest of All Late Peaches (*Latest Yello Freestone*) (Introduced by Stark Bro's.) Th peach that ripens after *all other good peaches are gone*—reaches markets at the tim when *it has no competition!* Always brings highest prices.

The peach is of immense size—almost as round as J. H. Hale, deep yellow with blush of carmine on the sunny side. No peach is sweeter or better—no bitterne whatever next to the pit. Flesh firm and of fine texture—ships perfectly. Ha quality almost equal to Stark Early Elberta, the finest of all peaches that man ca grow. *Ripens 40 days after Elberta.—NNCS.*

Other Yellow Fleshed Varieties

★Late Elberta— Late Yellow Freestone. Best sort ripening between Hale an Krummel. Looks exactly like Elberta—better flavor. Come on market when yellow peaches bring top prices. Tree fine in growth, bearing, hardiness Ripens 14 days after Elberta. NCS. ***10c above regular peach tree prices.***

★Big Indian Blood Cling (*Mid-season Red Flesh.*) Biggest, handsomest peach of all the Blood Clings. ***10c Extra.***

★Chair's Choice (*Late Yellow Freestone.*) Best of the Crawford Late type. *NCS.*

★Capt. Ede (*Mid-season Yellow Freestone.*) Large, excellent shipper. *NCS.*

★October Elberta (*Very Late Yellow Freestone.*) A big, handsome peach. Ripens just ahead of Krummel October. *NCS.* ***10c Extra.***

Salway. *-Holsinger Strain.* (*Very Late Yellow Freestone.*) An improved Kansas strain from the grounds of Major Frank Holsinger. Not as good as Krummel. *NCS.* ***5c Extra.***

Engle Mammoth (*Mid-season Yellow Free Stone*) Immense size, attractive, splendid quality; makes friends and holds them thoroughly hardy. Popular North. *NNCS.*

★Crawford Early Improved (*Mid-season Yellow Freestone.*) Better quality and hardier than old Crawford Early—the best peach of this type. *CS.*

★Crawford Late Improved (*Late Yellow Freestone.*) Larger, better quality, hardier, surer bearer than old Crawford Late. *NCS.*

★Golden Sweet Cling (*Mid-season Yellow.*) One of the juiciest, sweetest and most delicious of all clingstone peaches; hardy and immense size. *NCS.* ***5c Extra.***

Other Yellow Sorts: Jap. Gol. Giant Cling ***(5c Extra),*** Shipper's Late Red, ***(10c Extra),*** Wilma Worth.

Plums a Century's Test Prove Best!

BIG, gorgeous colored plums—appealing to the eye and satisfying to the appetite. Plums of Gold! Red plums! Blue plums! Plums of royal purple! Plums "big as little peaches!" Plums packed with a sweetness that **cannot** be described! Plums for everyone—everywhere. Be sure to plant some in your home orchard.

The plums listed on pages 20 and 21 are the best we have found in over a century's search and test. **Those varieties marked with star (★) are especially desirable.**

****America** *Very Early—Hybrid.* A full **Brother of Gold,** the Sensational $3,000.00 Plum. Same parentage—a cross between Burbank (Japanese) and Robinson (Native). From the far-reaching experimental hybridizing of 20,000,000 crossbred seedlings by the great scientist, Luther Burbank **came two grand plums—Gold and America;** it was then plum growing received its greatest impetus. America is large, glossy coral red—**one of the most beautiful and delicious plums ever grown.** In our orchard it is the one variety that **can always be depended on for a crop.** Tree large, very vigorous, thoroughly **hardy,** bears extremely young, and bears enormous crops every year. Succeeds everywhere. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS. "America is almost phenomenally free from rot."—Plums of New York. **$4.00 Per Bushel. Heads the List as Usual.** Bent to the ground with large, handsome fruit. Visitors can scarcely believe their own eyes. Blooms late, scarcely ever fails to bear full. 8-year trees bore **3** bushels each that brought **$4.00** per bushel. Good quality and does not rot. Sturdy grower and exceptionally hardy.—E. H. Riehl, Ill. Exp. Sta.

PLUM PRICES
Sorts on Pages 20 and 21

	Each	10	100	1000
1st Class 4-7 ft..	$1.25	$11.00	$100	$700
3-5 ft...	1.00	9.00	80	600
2-3 ft...	.80	7.50	65	400

Prices F. O. B. Nurseries
Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate. Write for attractive prices on 1000 or more trees.

***Abundance** *Early.* Large, bright cherry red, Japanese plum. Firm, sweet, excellent quality, ships well. Tree hardy, healthy, productive; rots less than Burbank. Should be planted in every home and commercial orchard. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

***Burbank** *(Mid-Season, Japanese.)* Richly colored red plum, yellow, mottled and dotted. Large, round, handsome, sweet, fine quality. One of the most popular Japanese sorts, but should be thinned to prevent rot. Very productive. NCS.

***Big Mackey Damson** *Mid-Season-European.* A true freestone. Largest, best of Damsons; originated in Pike Co., Mo., and known locally as Big Mackey. Deep purple, juicy, rich, small stone, fine for preserves. Tree upright, hardy, bears enormous crops, with little or no care, free from insects and diseases. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS. Introduced by Stark Bro's.

***Omaha** *Mid-Season-Hybrid.* Originated in Nebraska, on the grounds of a famous plum authority—Theodore Williams—who originated many plums. He considered Omaha best of all, and requested us to introduce it. Very large, almost perfectly round, dark rich red, pit small, flesh meaty, sweet and delicious. Tree as sturdy and **hardy as an Oak,** rather spreading in growth, bears tremendous crops every year. It is the plum for everywhere—east, west, north, south. **Eating. Cooking. Canning. Market.** NNCS. Introduced by Stark Bro's.

When we introduced Omaha, Mr. Williams wrote: "No other plum in existence is so cosmopolitan as Omaha; it fruited from Alberta (Canada) south to the Gulf; thrives in Vermont and west to the Pacific."

★INDIAN BLOOD (Duarte). *Mid-Season.* Large egg-shaped, brownish red plum, flesh red clear to pit, quality good. Tree upright, good grower, hardy. Beautiful. Sells well. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

★WILD GOOSE IMPROVED *Mid-Season.* Very bright red, deliciously sweet and juicy. **Cooking. Canning. Market.** NNCS.

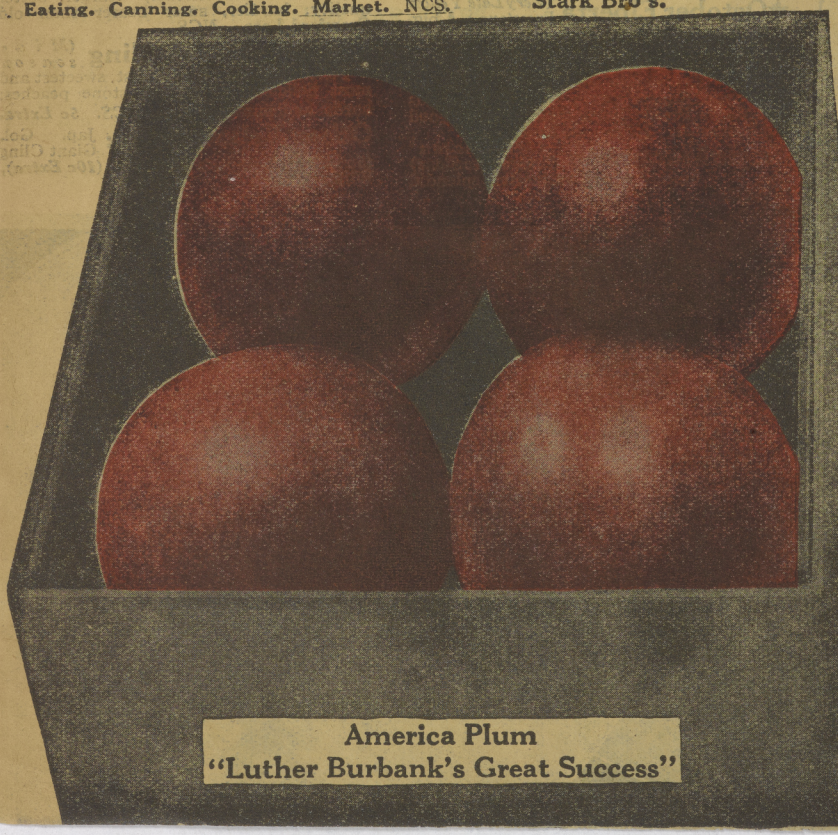
★SHROPSHIRE DAMSON *Mid-Season.* Most widely known of all the Damsons. **Eating. Canning. Cooking. Market.** NCS.

***Mammoth Gold** *Very Early — Hybrid.* A great big luscious, red blushed, golden plum originated by Geo. W. Endicott, Villa Ridge, Ill., and purchased by us. Fruit beautiful, delicious and sweet clear to the pit; resistant to rot. Tree hardy, thrifty, upright, bears young, regularly and heavily. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

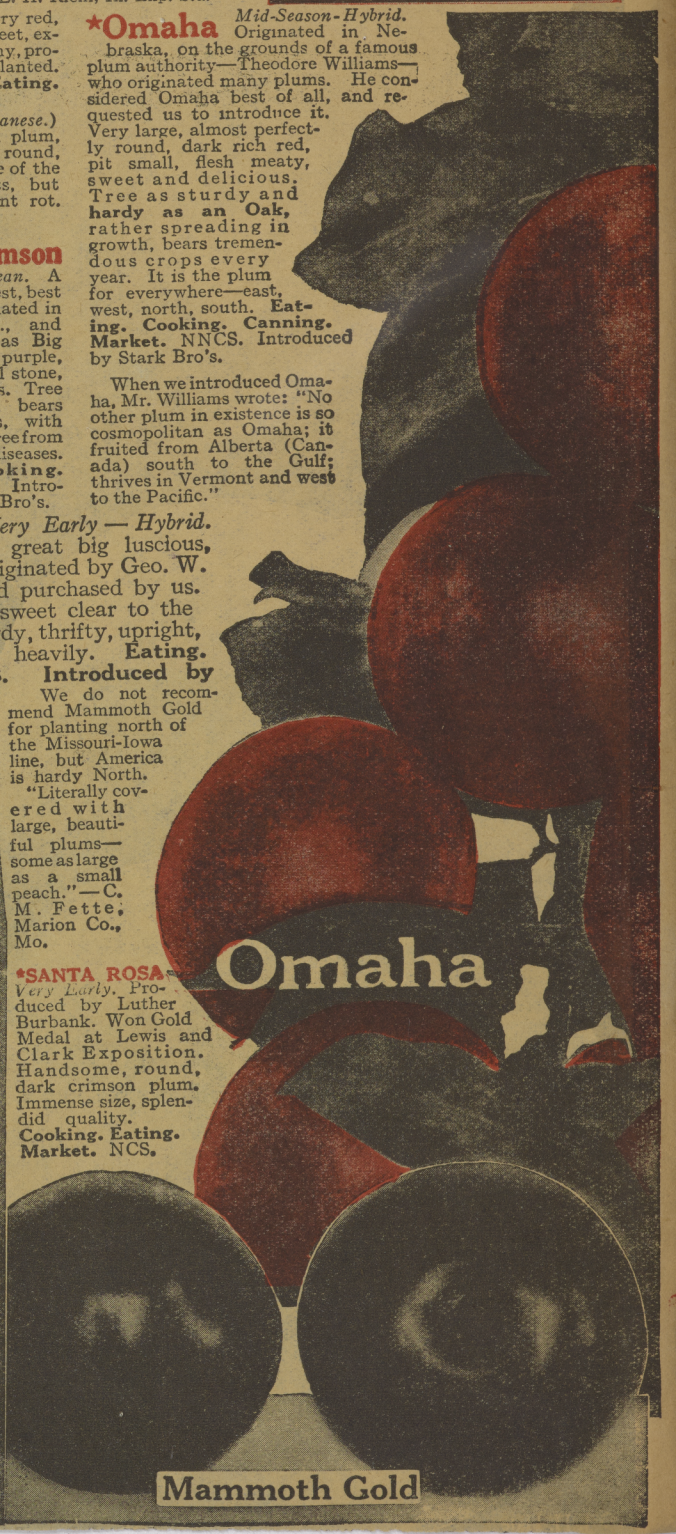
We do not recommend Mammoth Gold for planting north of the Missouri-Iowa line, but America is hardy North.

"Literally covered with large, beautiful plums—some as large as a small peach."—C. M. Fette, Marion Co., Mo.

***SANTA ROSA** *Very Early.* Produced by Luther Burbank. Won Gold Medal at Lewis and Clark Exposition. Handsome, round, dark crimson plum. Immense size, splendid quality. **Cooking. Eating. Market.** NCS.



America Plum
"Luther Burbank's Great Success"



Mammoth Gold

"Photo of my 2-year-old Early Gold (Shiro) bearing 3 gals. luscious plums. They are all your Year Book claims them to be."—J. J. Rosenberger. Always bears heavily and brings top market prices.

Gold plum 1½ years old in orchard of Mr. Bolley—showing fast-growing qualities.

"Have two Gold plum trees, picked 130 gallons from each tree."—J. B. Broughton, New Madrid Co., Mo.

****GOLD** Introduced by STARK BRO'S.

Branch of Gold Plums grown in orchard of S. Hayden, Pike Co., Mo.

**Gold (Trade Mark) Our $3,000 Plum

OUR great Gold, the $3,000.00 plum, has created a greater sensation and made more friends than any other of the many valuable plums we have introduced in the last 100 years. We consider it **the most valuable Mid-Season plum,** just as much so as its great Brother, the America, **is the best Very Early** plum, ever introduced.

Luther Burbank, who originated Gold Plum says—"The most remarkable fruit known—**the best plum ever produced.**" Fruit clear, semi-transparent, light golden yellow, later nearly overspread with a hazy carmine blush. When fully ripe a transparent light cherry red. Tree does best in chicken yards and on moderately dry thin or clay soil; rather dwarfish growing, but strong, healthy and one of the hardiest. We paid Burbank $3,000.00 for this wonderful fruit and Trade-Marked the name. Buy the **genuine Stark Gold from Stark Bro's,** the Exclusive Introducers and Owners. Succeeds everywhere—from the Atlantic to the Pacific, from the Great Lakes to the Gulf. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**

"Not a bud injured. All right even north of LaCrosse and Oshkosh."—H. Floyd, Winnebago Co., Wis. "Four-year trees have borne three crops; fully equal to your pictures. Finest plums in existence."—Major Baird, DeKalb Co., Tenn. "From one 5-year old Gold plum, picked 81½ gal. fine plums."—E. N. Smith, Green Co., Mo. "Stands our winters like our hardiest natives."

***Early Gold** (Shiro). (*Very Early, Hybrid.*) Pure transparent, golden yellow plum. Excellent quality—a huge honeydrop. This is another introduction of Luther Burbank's that has made good.

A loaded tree is a glorious sight. Quality ranks high. No plum we know has more good points and fewer faults. NCS.

One tree brings $17.00. "From one 11-year-old Early Gold Plum tree I got 8½ bushels of plums."—J. D. Schwimmer, Ford Co., Ill.

Lombard Imp (Tatge) Superior to Lombard in size, quality; less rot. Large, light purplish red. **Eating. Cooking. Canning. Market.** NCS. *10c Extra.*

***Red June** *Very Early — Japanese.* Dark cherry red, very showy. Named and introduced by us 30 years ago. Free from rot; does not drop. Tree healthy, hardy, sure cropper. Fine canning variety. Most satisfactory Japanese plum. "Red June nas not failed in 7 years."—John Cottle, Washington Co., Ohio. **Eating. Cooking. Canning. Market.** NCS. Introduced by Stark Bro's.

***Stark Green Gage** (Missouri) *Mid-Season European.* All plum lovers commend it as best of its type. Fruit large, juicy, greenish yellow, sweet, exquisite quality. Tree strong growing, bears immense crops regularly and is in every way satisfactory. We introduced it nearly 30 years ago. **Eating. Cooking. Canning. Market.** NCS. **Originated and introduced by Stark Bro's.**

The Finest Pears You Can Grow

****Lincoln** **The Peerless Pear.** Late Summer. The pear we find worthy of our highest commendation—the **genuine true** Lincoln—of Illinois. Fruit large, clear, beautiful yellow, sometimes blushed—marvelously beautiful, ideal shipper; quality superb—even better than Bartlett, the leader for many generations. Tree remarkably blight resistant, heavy cropper, long lived—original tree now over 80 years old and still bearing. NNCS. **Eating. Cooking. Market.**

Ours is the True Lincoln. "Bought Lincoln trees from 3 nurseries and have 3 different pears, all labeled Lincoln. Yours are the only genuine Lincoln pear trees."—Jas. Houselman, Platt Co., Ill.

Lincoln is Blight Resistant—"Lincoln more blight resistant than any other; equals Bartlett in flavor and texture. Good keeper, rarely core-rots; have never discovered a winter-killed tree."—J. W. Jones, Emmet Co., Idaho.

LINCOLN PEAR PRICES

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000
4-7 ft.	$2.50	$23.00	$200	$1200
3-5 ft.	2.00	18.00	160	1000
2-3 ft.	1.50	13.00	120	800

Prices F. O. B. Nurseries

Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate. Write for attractive prices on 1000 or more.

***Fame** *Late Summer.* There is no more delicious pear than this; juicy, melting, sweet and rich. Seeds few, almost no core; large, blushed yellow. Hardy, strong, long-lived tree; young bearer, does exceedingly well as a dwarf. Blight resistant. Originated in Nor. Ark. Introduced by us. **Eating. Cooking. Market.** NCS. *25c Extra.*

***Bartlett** *Summer.* A great favorite. Large, rich, golden yellow with soft blush; juicy, melting, with a rich, indescribable flavor. One of best for canning and shipping. Tree strong grower, bears young. **NCS. Eating. Cooking. Market.**

***Kieffer** *Winter.* Most widely planted pear. Large, rich, golden yellow, sometimes tinted red. Fine for canning and baking, only fair quality for eating fresh. NCS. **Eating. Cooking. Market**

***Stark Seckel** (Sugar Pear). *Late Summer* A select strain of this wonderful pear. Medium size, beautiful yellow; spicy, honeyed flavor. **NCS. Cooking. Eating. Dessert.**

***Anjou** *Late Fall.* Large, handsome, yellow pear blushed dull red; richest flavor. Tree upright, good bearer, strong grower, hardy, bears young, blooms late, remarkably free from blight. Succeeds everywhere. NCS. **Eating. Cooking. Market.**

***Stark Tyson** (*Very Early Summer.*) Looks like Seckel, ripens extremely early, medium size, yellow, shaded russet, sweet, juicy, perfumed, excellent. Tree hardy, long lived, very free from blight. We propagate from select strain from Henry Wallis, St. Louis Co., Mo. NCS. **Eating. Cooking. Market.**

***Duchess** (Angouleme) *Fall.* Extremely large, often weighs over a pound; dull yellow, excellent quality. Tree long lived, healthy, hardy, bears extremely young, produces crop every year. NCS. **Eating. Cooking. Market.**

OTHER PEARS—PRICES

1st Class	Each	10	100	1000
4-7 ft.	$2.00	$18.00	$160	$1100
3-5 ft.	1.50	13.00	120	800
2-3 ft.	1.25	11.00	100	600

Prices F. O. B. Nurseries

Less than 10 go at "each" rate; 30 or more at 100 rate; 300 or more at 1000 rate. Write for attractive prices on 1000 or more trees.

Dwarf Pears. We offer the following varieties as Dwarfs: Anjou, Bartlett, Duchess, Fame, King

Lincoln

Grow Your Own Grapes—Make Your Own Grape Juice —Have Fresh Grapes from Early Summer till Winter.

Big, Luscious GRAPES

For the Table and Grape Juice

The grape is the easiest fruit to grow. The vines take little room, thrive despite neglect and every year produce their wealth of beautiful, health-giving fruit. With the roots in any old nook, you can lead them away in any direction to provide a grateful shade for the pump, or for a restful seat, a border for a walk or climbing on the wall or house. East, west, north or south, on hill or in valley, on poor soil or rich, the grape grows, thrives, bears. It never disappoints. Plant a few vines or a large vineyard—make your own grape juice (Stark Delicious grape best for juice), jams, marmalade, jelly, and have plenty to eat fresh from your own vines.

**Stark Delicious

Greatest of All Red Grapes in the U. S.

UNTIL we introduced Stark Delicious there was no red grape of real fine quality that had also a productive vine. Here is one of the most beautiful and delicious grapes we have ever seen—and it bears immense crops on very thrifty vines. Bunches are large, long, shouldered, a remarkable shipper, and make a wonderful appearance on the market; the flavor is delightfully sweet and rich, and the berries average about the size of Concord. It makes beautiful Champagne-colored Grape juice with a flavor that is obtainable from no other grape. The vine is an extremely young bearer, splendidly hardy, luxuriant foliage that hangs late, and is one of the most satisfactory kinds for both the home and commercial vineyard. NCS. **Eating, jelly, grape juice, market.** Introduced by Stark Bros.

25 vines go at 100 rate; 300 at 1000 rate.

LARGEST TWO-YEAR Ea.	100	1000	GRAPE Special Prices on Large Orders	LARGEST ONE-YEAR Ea.	100	1000
$.30	$25.00	$220	Agawam (d. red)	$.25	$20.00	$175
1.50	140.00	....	*Banner (T-M)	1.40	130.00	....
.30	25.00	220	*Brighton (red)	.25	20.00	175
.35	30.00	250	*Campbell Ey. (blk)	.30	25.00	210
.30	25.00	....	Carman (blk)	.25	20.00	....
.30	25.00	220	Catawba (red)	.25	20.00	175
.35	30.00	....	Cynthiana (blk)	.30	25.00	....
.35	30.00	....	Clinton (blk)	.30	25.00	....
.25	15.00	100	*Concord (blk)	.20	12.00	75
.30	25.00	220	Delaware (red)	.25	20.00	175
.30	25.00	220	*Diamond (white)	.25	20.00	175
.50	40.00	300	*Eclipse (blk)	.40	35.00	250
.30	25.00	....	G. Mountain (white)	.25	20.00	....
.50	40.00	....	*Herbert (blk)	.40	30.00	....
.35	28.00	250	*Hicks (blk)	.30	25.00	210
.30	25.00	220	Ives (blk)	.25	20.00	175
.35	28.00	250	*King (blk)	.30	25.00	210
.50	40.00	....	King Philip (blk)	.40	30.00	....
.30	25.00	220	Lindley (red)	.25	20.00	....
.35	30.00	250	*Lucile (red)	.30	25.00	210
.35	28.00	240	*Lutie (red)	.30	22.00	190
.30	25.00	220	*Moore Ey. (blk)	.25	20.00	175
.30	25.00	220	*Niagara (white)	.25	20.00	175
1.50	140.00	....	*Stark Delicious (T-M)	1.40	130.00	....
.50	40.00	300	*Stark Eclipse (blk)	.40	35.00	250
.30	25.00	....	Wilder (blk)	.25	20.00	....
.30	25.00	220	*Worden (blk)	.25	20.00	175
.35	30.00	250	Woodruff (red)	.30	25.00	210

Campbell's Early

Early Black. A black early grape of great size that ripens about two weeks ahead of Concord, but the ripening season is variable, ripening through a long season, and is generally marketable slightly earlier than Worden. Keeps and ships well. Quality is excellent—not foxy, somewhat vinous, nearly sweet. Vine vigorous, productive, hardy, with thick mildew-resisting foliage. Known and grown throughout the grape regions of the United States. Compared to Moore Early it averages larger but is hardly as valuable commercially, however, this magnificent grape should be in every home collection, and planted moderately in all commercial vineyards. Ideal for grape juice. It is of the Concord type—a seedling of Moore Early, and has inherited many of Moore Early's good vine characteristics. A good grape. NCS.

Banner A delicious red grape introduced by us from the vineyard of Joseph Bachman of Ark. Bunches large, solid, shouldered; berries medium size and cling tenaciously to the bunch. A magnificent grape for the home vineyard and for market. NCS. **Eating. Jelly. Market.**

Agawam A sweet, rich, finely flavored dark red grape borne on large bunches; vine hardy, vigorous, bears regularly and heavily; ripens just after Concord. NCS. **Eating. Jelly. Market.**

★Lutie

Mid-Season Red. A rich red grape that is good everywhere and under all conditions Vine vigorous, heavy bearer; fruit delicious in quality and seldom rots. E. H. Riehl, Ill. authority, says: "Bears full crops when others fail; one of the most profitable varieties I have ever grown Don't hesitate on Lutie." NCS.

Lucile—a ruby-red, beauty grape—

Lutie—Rich Red, Handsome Bunch One of the Sweetest and Best Red Sorts.

★Lucile

Early Red. A dark red grape, medium to largeberryand bunch, excellent quality, keeps well and ships well. In vigor, health, hardiness, productiveness, it is surpassed by no other variety, and it is practically immune to fungous diseases. It is one

Cynthiana

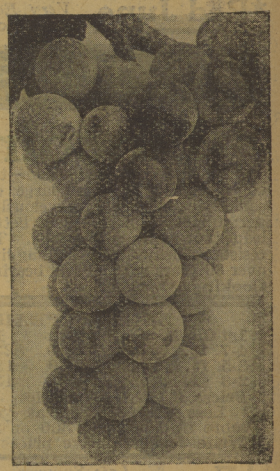
A black late grape; heavy yielder; small, spicy NCS. **Eating. Jelly.**

Catawba

A favorite red grape; quality, best keeping. CS. **Eating. Juice. Jelly. Market.**

Worden

Splendid black grape. Hardy, healthy, productive like Concord. Larger, better quality. 10 days earlier. Sometimes ripens irregularly. One of the best black grapes. Large bunch and berry, excellent quality. Thousands of acres are being planted. Mr. Fullerton, L. I., N. Y. Exp. Sta., writes: "Worden positively paralyzed us with its yields, eclipsing everything in size and perfection of bunch and berry, which were really collossal compared to Concord. NCS. **Eating Jelly. Grape Juice. Market.**



Worden—One of the Greatest Money-Making Black Grapes. Handsomer, Better than Concord.

Woodruff

(Late). A handsome red grape, large bunch. **Eating. Jelly. Market.** NCS.

Asparagus

We offer: **Bonvalette's Giant, Conover's Colossal, Palmetto and Mammoth White.** Every garden should have a bed of Asparagus.

Price—10c each; $6.00 per 100; $30.00 per 1000.

Rhubarb

(Pieplant). Grows successfully everywhere. Beds will last for years without renewing. We offer:

Myatt's Linnaeus and Victoria Giant.

Horseradish

Prefers a deep, loose, loamy soil. We offer superior quality roots.

MOORE EARLY
Black grape that ripens two weeks earlier than Concord

DELAWARE
Bright red grape of highest quality

BRIGHTON
Brilliant red, large, extra sweet

Moore Early *Early Black.*

A black grape similar to Concord in appearance and quality, but ripens two weeks earlier and is the leading standard black grape of its season. Bunch and berry large, quality good. Vine healthy, vigorous, hardy, heavy bearer. Succeeds everywhere. Ideal for grape juice. NCS.

Delaware

A fine bright red grape of very highest quality. Ripens early and reaches the markets when grapes are in greatest demand. Delaware, because of its unsurpassed quality, always commands premium prices. Vine hardy, vigorous. "Grapes of New York," says—"It is the American Grape **par excellence.**" NCS. **EATING. JELLY. MARKET.**

King

(*Giant Concord*). A black grape that is much larger than Concord, more vigorous and better in quality—not subject to rot. Steadily gaining in favor. NCS. **EATING. JELLY. GRAPE JUICE. MARKET.**

Niagara

Best known white grape. Famed as "Grand Father" of Stark Delicious. Ranks with old reliable Concord in vigor and productiveness. Widely planted. Bunch large; handsome, juicy and a fine flavor. The white grape for the millions. We recommend it for commercial plantings everywhere. NCS. **EATING. JELLY. MARKET.**

CONCORD
The "Old Standby" noted throughout the world

Nut Trees

FILBERT, AMER. (*Corylus*). Hardy shrub, 7 ft. high, bears good quantity.

HICKORY, MO. MAM.—Grows very tall. Good quality, large nuts.

HICKORY, SHELLBARK—Shaggy bark, very large crops, fine nuts.

PECAN, MO. SEEDLING—Produced from big nut trees here. Hardy.

GRAFTED PECAN, STUART—Best paper shell pecan, vigorous, big yield.

WALNUT BLACK—(*Juglans Nigra*). Grows large—50 ft. tall. Produces high value tim-

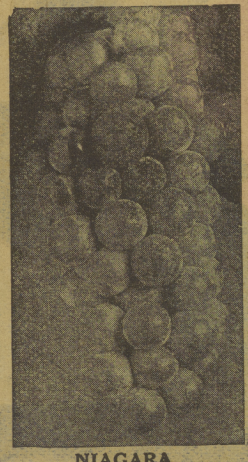
★Brighton

Bright red, heavily shouldered; large bunch; one of the sweetest and most delicious. Known everywhere. Ripens before Worden. It adapts itself to most any soil, is always productive; a good strong growing, hardy vine. Should be planted with other sorts for pollenization. Diamond, Worden and Moore Early are ideal for this purpose. NCS. **EATING. JELLY. MARKET.**

★Hicks

Most valuable black grape. Larger and better than Concord. Concord type but a better grower and a heavier bearer. Especially featured and highly recommended by N. Y. Exp. Station. A grape of great value. Commercially introduced by Stark Bro's. NCS. **EATING. JELLY. GRAPE JUICE. MARKET.**

"Vines are stronger growth, earlier and more productive than Concord."—U. P. Hedrick, Horticulturist, N. Y. Exp. Sta.



NIAGARA
Best known white grape—vigorous—productive

Berries

Every house should have a good "berry patch." Requires little work—almost sure crop every year—plenty to eat, to can and to sell, too.

Flaming Giant Raspberry

(RED) World's Record Red Raspberry. Stands 15 degrees below Zero without injury. Bears twice as much as Cuthbert and Sunbeam. Immense size berries—often three-quarters inch across.

BERRY PRICES

F. O. B. Nursery

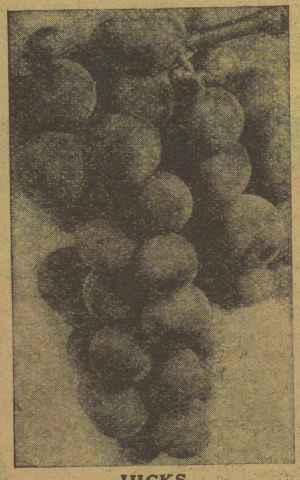
1ST CLASS	Each	100	1000
Black Pearl Raspb'y.	$0.20	$9.00	$50.00
Columbian Raspb'y..	.22	12.00	60.00
Cumberland Raspb'y.	.20	9.00	50.00
Cuthbert Raspb'y...	.20	9.00	50.00
Flaming Giant Raspb'y	.50	40.00	200.00
King Raspb'y.....	.20	9.00	50.00
St. Regis Raspb'y...	.22	12.00	60.00
Blowers Blackberry..	.20	9.00	50.00
Early Harvest Blackberry	.20	9.00	50.00
Early King Blackb'y.	.20	9.00	50.00
Eldorado Blackberry.	.25	14.00	75.00
Mersereau Blackberry	.25	14.00	75.00
Snyder Blackberry...	.20	9.00	50.00
Lucretia Dewberry..	.20	10.00	50.00

★Diamond (Moore's Diamond). *Early White.*

We recommend Diamond as the best hardy white grape. Berry and bunch large. Vine hardy as dependable as Concord. "The Grapes of New York," greatest work on grapes ever published, says "When to its desirable fruit characteristics are added earliness, hardiness, productiveness and vigor, it is surpassed by no other green grape." NCS.

★★Stark Eclipse (*Trade Mark*)

Earliest Black. The earliest of all black grapes—ripens a week to 10 days ahead of Moore Early. Best of all varieties for grape juice. Bunch and berry almost as big as Concord, handsome, compact and hangs tenaciously to the vine. The highest quality early grape; rich, sweet, and melting, does not crack in wet weather nor scatter from the bunch. Vine healthy, hardy, vigorous grower, with exceptionally good foliage which hangs longer than almost any other variety. It originated on the grounds of Mr. E. A. Riehl, Ill. Exp. Sta., Alton, Ill., a nationally known authority on grapes. We introduced the variety after exhaustive tests and it has never disappointed us. After fruiting the variety for a number of years, Mr. Geo. E. Endicott, famous horticultural authority, wrote us:—"Eclipse is the best early grape that has been produced in this country so far as I have been able to learn from 50 years' experience and testing more than 150 varieties." Ohio State Exp. Station finds Eclipse to be the ideal grape for making grape-juice and they have issued a report on this subject. It is the greatest Early Grape. NCS. **Introduced by Stark Bro's.**



HICKS
Highly recommended by N. Y. Experiment Station

Concord

Most popular of all grapes. Making money for vineyardists everywhere. Healthy, hardy, vigorous, large bunch and berry. Will produce more year in and year out than any other sort. **EATING. JELLY. GRAPE JUICE. MARKET.** N C S.

Herbert

Large, black. Superior table grape. Splendid shipper. NCS. **EATING. JELLY. MARKET.**

Diamond Grape

At New York Exp. Station

"Vines of Eclipse have fruited at this station for several years. Eclipse is very similar to Concord, differing chiefly in earliness and in a higher degree of quality. The vines make a most satisfactory growth, appear to be hardy, healthy and productive."—O. M. Taylor, Foreman in Horticulture, New York Experiment Station.

Stark Eclipse Introduced by Stark Bro's

Mulberries

We sell **Abundance—Downing—Gorgeous** (trade mark) double the size of any other mulberry and our choice—**Monarch** and **New American**. See Price List or

The Rose—"Queen of Flowers"

EVERBLOOMING HYBRID TEA ROSES

***Clothilde Soupert** (Pol.) Hardy. Continuous and vigorous flesh colored bloomer. Excellent bedder.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

Helen Gould (H. T.) Deep pink bloomer. Free grower. Fine for cut flowers.
90 cts. each—$8.50 for 10

***J. L. Mock** (H. T.) Large, fragrant flowers, beautiful buds, long stems. Petals silvery inside, deep pink outside. (See color photo to right.) $1 each—$9 for 10

Kaiserin Augusta Victoria (H. T.) Splendid bedding or cutting. White, free bloomer and vigorous.
$1 each—$9 for 10

Killarney (H. T.) Vigorous grower. Deep pink, free bloomer. Attractive pointed buds for cutting.
$1 each—$9 for 10

La France (H. T.) Abundance of light pink, fragrant flowers produced continuously. Good foliage.
80 cts. each—$7.50 for 10

***Madame Caroline Testout** (H. T.) The official rose of Seattle Rose Festival. Large, fragrant, pink blossoms. Free bloomer.
90 cts. each—$8.50 for 10

***Maman Cochet** (T.) Longpointed white and pink buds. Continual bloomer.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

Mrs. Aaron Ward (H. T.) Very beautiful. One of the best yellow roses.
$1 each—$9 for 10

***Radiance** (H. T.) Large size, full, fragrant dark pink blossoms produced constantly. Good for cutting.
$1 each—$9 for 10

Sunburst (H.T.) Beautiful, long pointed, golden yellow buds. Especially fine for cutting. An excellent forcer.
$1 each—$9 for 10

CLIMBING ROSES

American Pillar Bright red blossoms nearly 3 inches across. Very vigorous. Hardy. Orange color from distance. $1 each—$9 for 10

***Climbing American Beauty** Like American Beauty, but vigorous climber. Large, fragrant red flowers. Hardy, profuse bloomer. (See circle in lower left corner.)
$1 each—$9 for 10

Everblooming Crimson Rambler Similar to Crimson Rambler, but has longer blooming season.
$1 each—$9 for 10

Christine Wright A hardy climber, with pointed buds and attractive pink flowers.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

Dorothy Perkins A very hardy, vigorous grower. Dainty, pointed buds and an abundance of pink and white flowers that hide the plant.
60 cts. each—$5.50 for 10

***Excelsa** (H.C.) A red Dorothy Perkins. Best brilliant—crimson rambler. Glossy foliage. (See upper right corner.)
75 cts each—$7 for 10

***Dr. W. VanFleet** Large pointed flesh-colored flowers as fine as tea roses. Rapid grower.
90 cts. each
$8.50 for 10

Wm. R. Smith (T.) Vigorous grower with large, fragrant, pointed buds—white blushed with pink. Constant bloomer.
$1 each—$9 for 10

HARDY HYBRID PERPETUAL ROSES

Anna De Diesbach (H. P.) Old, well-known hardy variety. Large red blossoms. Free flowering.
80 cts. each—$7.50 for 10

Clio (H. P.) Vigorous grower. Free; large, flesh-colored bloomer. Hardy.
80 cts. each—$7.50 for 10

***Conrad F. Meyer** (H.P.) Beautiful, large, silvery rose color. Vigorous, hardy, fragrant. A hybrid rugosa. Often used for hedge.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

***Eugene Furst** (H. P.) A large, full, deepest red rose, velvety texture.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

Gen. Jacqueminot (H. P.) Old favorite. Thrives everywhere. Abundance of rich, red flowers.
80 cts. each—$7.50 for 10

***Grus An Teplitz** (China) Continuous red bloomer, fragrant. One of the best all-purpose roses.
90 cts. each—$8.50 for 10

Hermosa (China) Low growing rose. Continuous bloomer. Double, fragrant, bright pink blossoms. 80 cts. each—$7.50 for 10

***J. B. Clark** (H. P.) Large, attractive dark red flowers—produced abundantly. Very hardy
90c each
$8.50 for 10

Madame Plantier (H.P.) Fragrant and abundant white flowers. Very hardy.
75 cents each—$7 for 10

Mrs. John Laing (H.P.) Large, light pink, very fragrant double flowers in profusion. Hardy.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

***Paul Neyron** (H.P.) Immense pink flowers on long, stout stems. Hardy and vigorous. (See photo in center circle.)
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

Pink Moss (M) Moss covered buds and branches. Pink. Plant in shrub border. Hardy.
75 cts. each—$7 for 10

Prince C. De Rohan (H.P.) Very dark, velvety crimson variety. Attractive, full flowers.
85 cts. each—$8 for 10

***Snow Queen** (H.P.) Best white rose. Long blooming season. Called White American Beauty. Very hardy and vigorous. (See photo lower right hand corner.)
90 cts. each—$8.50 for 10

Ulrich Brunner (H.P.) Large, dark red, fragrant bloom on long stiff stems. Vigorous, hardy grower. (See vase of these to right.)
85 cts. each
$8 for 10

Excelsa—climber—better than Crimson Rambler

J. L. Mock—Large, fragrant flowers, beautiful buds, long stems.

Killarney—ever blooming, fragrant, fine for cut flowers.

Ulrich Brunner

Paul Neyron Rose

Climbing American Beauty—free bloomer, large and fragrant. Hardy.

Snow Queen—called White American Beauty. Everblooming, hardy, vigorous—the one BEST rose.

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One (1) each of Stark King David, Black Ben, Henry Clay, Double-Life Grimes Golden, Jonathan, Northwestern Greening, Bellflower Improved, Paragon Winesap and McIntosh Red—all fine, big 4 to 7 ft. trees. If varieties are exhausted we retain right to send other similar sorts.—ALL for $8!
9 Fine Big Trees
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4 DEUTZIA LEMONEI
5 DEUTZIA PRIDE OF ROCHESTER
16 SNOWBERRY (SYMPHORICARPUS)
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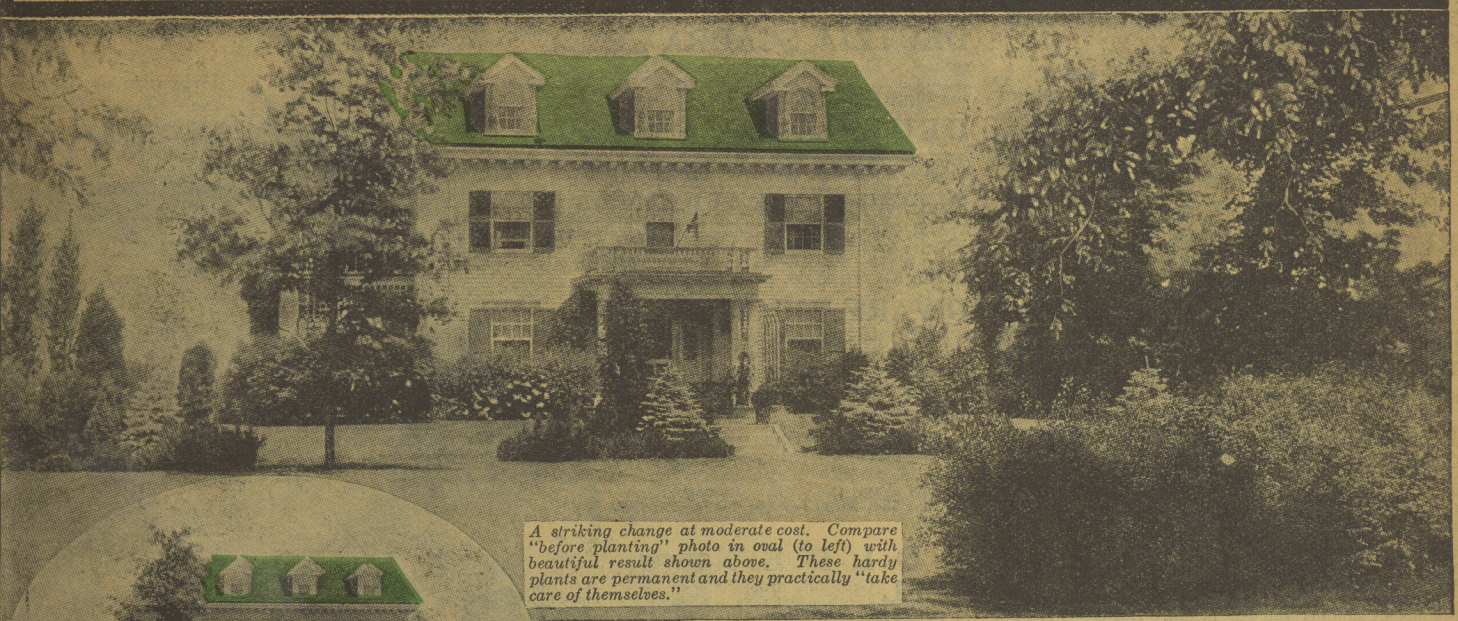
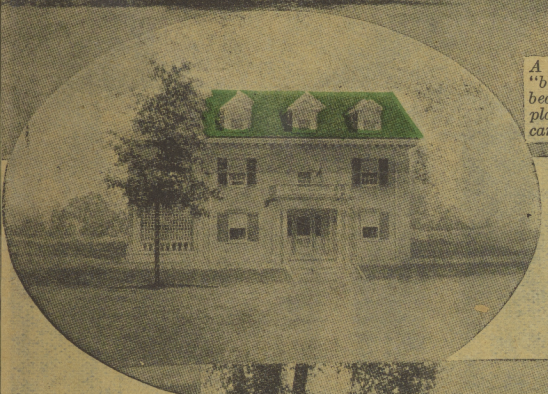
3 DEUTZIA GRACILIS
17 WHITE KERRIA (RHODOTYPUS

Homes of Beauty



A striking change at moderate cost. Compare "before planting" photo in oval (to left) with beautiful result shown above. These hardy plants are permanent and they practically "take care of themselves."



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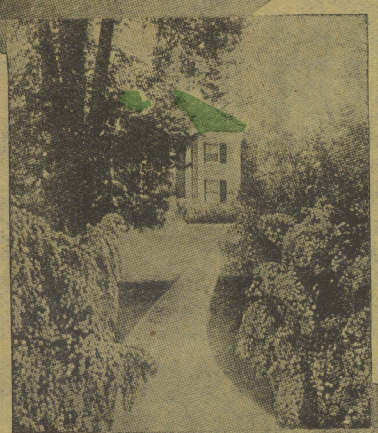
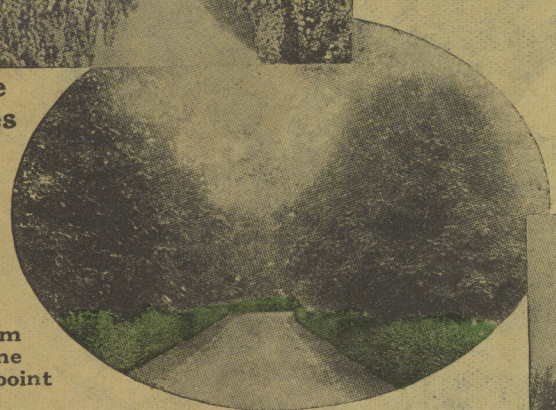


Aiding Nature in the Country

A restful effect achieved by our Landscape Department for a country home owner (photo at right). Cost surprisingly small.



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Attractive hedges for walks and driveways involve comparatively little expense and add immeasurably to the orderly beauty of your farm home—make it one to which you can point with pride.

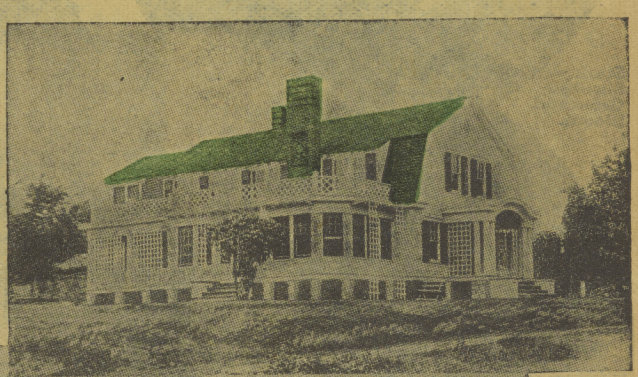
Homes Beautified-At Little Cost!

IN our Landscape Plan and Ornamental Departments we devote all our time on plans to aid owners of city, suburban and farm homes to add charm and harmonious beauty to their home grounds. Special Plan Service is FREE, if you order the needed trees, shrubs, hedges and plants from us.

We are not so much interested in big real estate sub-divisions, or large municipal park plantings as we are in the home-owners' orders. Our 109 years of experience in furnishing the farmer and suburbanite the best of fruit trees have acquainted us with their wants and desires—and we feel that we do more good and get better results in specializing on this general type of planting work. However, we **are** qualified and equipped to take care of the largest estate or municipal beautifying plan and planting—and do handle hundreds of such big propositions every year.

Look At These Photos—See What a Little Money Will Do!

Just look at the reproduced photos on this page. Note how a little money multiplied many times the attractiveness and desirability of these homes. Write us and see what we can do for your home.



Your home, too, can be made "the envy of all the neighbors" just by the aid of a simple but harmonious Stark Bro's planting of shrubs,

The modest cost of a splendid planting of ornamentals will make "all the difference in the world" in the appearance of your home and will pay big dividends, if you ever want to sell your home. Stark Bro's Landscape Department has helped thousands of home owners throughout the United States to make their home grounds a source of great pleasure—admired

Beautiful Shrubs—Low or Medium Height

*SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI

(*Bridal Wreath*). See photo of Pres. Stark's below. The one best shrub. Early May. Branches of entire bush are arched to ground under load of white flowers. Splendid foliage hangs until late fall. Hardy and vigorous. Succeeds everywhere. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 50c, $4.50 for 10; 3-4 ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10; 4-5 ft., 75c, $6.00 for 10.**

*SPIREA BILLARDI

Upright, large plumy spikes of flowers 6 in. long, July until fall. Succeeds even in dry places. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4 ft., 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

*HYDRANGEA, EVER-BLOOMING

or "Hills of Snow" (*Hydrangea Arborescens Grandiflora*). Enormous, beautiful white blooms throughout summer. Blooms often 5 in. across, resembling old-fashioned snowball. Valuable for cutting. **Prices—Each: 1½-2, 70c, $6.50 for 10; 2-3, 80c, $7.50 for 10.**

*HYDRANGEA, LARGE FLOWERING HARDY

(*Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora*). Magnificent shrub. Great cone-shaped clusters white flowers, often 10 in. long, July and August, later turn a bright pink. Most conspicuous and showy. **Prices—Each: 1½-2 ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10; 2-3, 75c, $7.00 for 10; 3-4, 85c, $8.00 for 10.**

SPIREA ANTHONY WATERER

Beautiful dwarf shrub, large crimson flowers, 3 in. across. Blooms all summer and late in fall. Hardy. **Prices—Each: 1-1½ ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10; 1½-2, 75c, $7.00 for 10.**

*DEUTZIA GRACILIS

In May, fragrant, white flowers nearly hide bush. One of best dwarf shrubs to plant in front of taller shrubs. **Prices—Each: 1-1½ ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 1½-2, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

DEUTZIA LEMOINEI

Very hardy. Great profusion white flowers in May. Plant in front of higher shrubs. **Prices—Each: 1½-2 ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10; 2-3, 75c, $7.00 for 10.**

DEUTZIA SCABRA

"Pride of Rochester." One of earliest. Flowers in May, white, tinged with pink. Grows 5 ft. high. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

DEUTZIA ROSEA

Same habit as Deutzia Gracilis, but rose-colored flowers. **Prices—Each: 1½-2 ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10; 2-3, 75c, $7.00 for 10.**

FLOWERING ALMOND

or Rose Tree of China (*Prunus Triloba*). Extremely early bloom appears before the leaves, covering entire plant. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 85c, $8.00 for 10; 3-4 ft., $1.00, $9.00 for 10.**

DWARF MOCKORANGE

(*Philadelphus Lemoinei*). Sweet-scented dwarf form of Syringa. Beautiful, creamy white flowers with yellow centers in June. Plant front taller shrubs. Hardy. **Prices—Each: 1½-2 ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10; 2-3 ft., 75c, $6.50 for 10.**

HIBISCUS

Rose of Sharon or Althea. Large flowers 3 in. across. Large variety colors. Blooms Aug. and Sept. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

GOLDEN BELL

Graceful, drooping shrub, great masses of yellow bloom in April. First to bloom. Very beautiful effect when planted on arbors, walls, steep banks, etc. Hardy, vigorous, and retains foliage late in the fall. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 65c, $6.00 for 10; 3-4, 80c, $7.50 for 10.**

*SNOWBERRY

(*Symphoricarpus Racemosus*). Dwarf. Small foliage. Small pink flowers in June, followed by great clusters of large white berries that hang on until winter. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 50c, $4.50 for 10; 3-4 ft., 60c, $5.50 for 10.**

BUTTERFLY BUSH

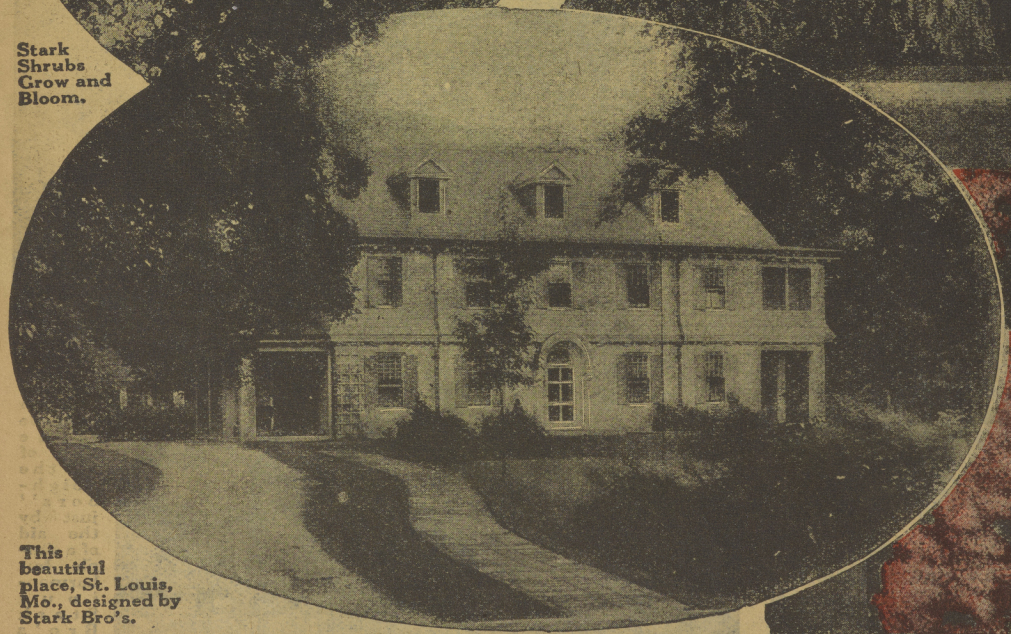
(*Buddleia var. Magnifica*). Medium size shrub. Lilac-colored flowers, clusters 5 or 6 in. long, attract butterflies. Blooms early summer until frost. **Prices—Each: 1-1½ ft., 50c, $4.50 for 10; 1½-2, 60c, $5.50 for 10.**

Hibiscus or Althea

(See colored blossom photo below). Profuse bloom, all colors, late summer and fall.

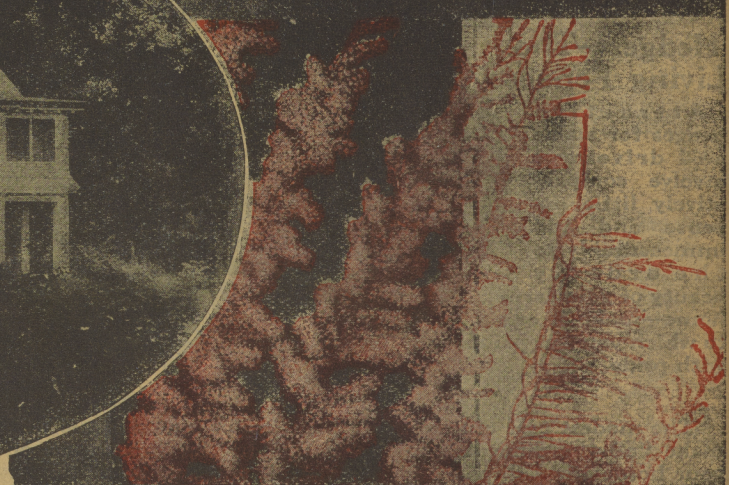
Stark Shrubs Grow and Bloom.

Home of President Stark—at right. Note magnificent Spirea Van Houttei used for foundation planting. Deutzias—circle at left—low growing—covered with flowers in May.



This beautiful place, St. Louis, Mo., designed by Stark Bro's.

A transformation in just 12 months resulting from Stark Landscape Plans and Stark Stock.



Tamarix Africana—Attractive Flowers. Beautiful feathery foliage.

Quick Growing Shade Trees

"The kindliest thing God ever made, His hand of very healing laid upon a fevered world, is shade."—Theodosia Garrison.

ASH, AMERICAN WHITE (*Fraxinus Americana*). Symmetrical tree of rapid growth, long life. Large, divided glossy green leaves. Valuable for park, lawn or avenue planting. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., 65c; 6-8, 85c; 8-10, $1.10. See price list for quantity prices.**

WILLOW, WEEPING (*Salix Babylonica*). Large, hardy tree. Long, slender, drooping, olive green branches. Suitable for lawn, park or cemetery plantings. **Prices—Each: 4-6 ft., 85c; 6-8, $1.10. See price list for quantity prices.**

MAPLE, ASH LEAF or Box Elder (*Acer Negundo*). See photo lower left corner. Succeeds in extreme cold or drouth. Valuable for lawn, street or windbreak plantings. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., 75c; 6-8, $1.10; 8-10, $1.50. See price list for quantity prices.**

*Maple Silver Leaf or Soft (*Acer Saccharinum*).

Large, spreading tree, extremely rapid grower. See largest photo below—in center. Hardy. Thrives in all soils. One of the best of all-purpose shade trees. Should be allowed to grow naturally. Valuable for street, lawn or park planting. **Price—Each: 5-6 ft., 75c; 6-8, $1.10; 8-10, $1.50. See price list for quantity prices.**

Catalpa Bungeii— OR UMBRELLA CATALPA

Large foliage and compact, round head. Dwarf, usually about 6 to 8 ft. in height. See photo at left center. **Prices—Each: 1 yr., $1.75; 2 yr., $2.10; extra size, $2.40. See price list for quantity prices.**

MULBERRY, TEAS WEEPING (*Morus Alba Pendula*). Graceful weeping tree, 6 to 8 feet high. Deep green foliage. Very popular for lawn planting. **Price—Each: $2.75. See price list for quantity prices.**

***POPLAR, CAROLINA** (*Populus Deltoides*). Exceedingly rapid growth. Bright green foliage. See photo at top left. Succeeds everywhere. Used for screens, windbreaks, street and lawn. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., 60c; 6-8, 85c; 8-10, $1.10. See price list for quantity prices.**

***POPLAR, LOMBARDY** (*Populus Nigra, Var. Italica*). Picturesque rapid-growing Italian tree of slender, upright habit. Height often exceeds 100 feet. See photo right center. Used as a tall screen in groups or to line driveways. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., 80c; 6-8, $1.00; 8-10, $1.25; 10-12, $1.60. See price list for quantity prices.**

HEDGES
—Living Fences

***BARBERRY, JAPANESE** (*Berberis Thunbergii*). Best and hardiest dwarf shrub and hedge. Foliage small, bright green, turning to bright crimson and orange in autumn, with red berries that hang on all winter. **Prices: 9 to 12 in., 30c each, $25 per 100; 1 to 1½ ft., 45c each, $35 per 100.**

***PRIVET, AMOOR RIVER** Hardy Northern Type (*Ligustrum Amurense*). Upright, dense growth with shiny foliage, white flowers followed by black berries. Hardy for north. The best privet. **Prices: 1-1½ ft., 25c each, $22.00 per 100; 1½-2, 30c each, $28.00 per 100; 2-3, 35c each, $32.00 per 100.**

PRIVET, CALIFORNIA (*Ligustrum Ovalifolium*). Well known hedge plant, glossy green foliage. Not as hardy as Amoor River (North) Privet. **Prices: 1-1½ ft., 15c each, $11.00 per 100; 1½-2, 20c each, $15.00 per 100; 2-3 ft., 25c each, $20.00 per 100.**

JAPANESE ROSE HEDGE (*Rosa Rugosa*). Beautiful bush, dark green crinkled foliage; large red or white flowers. Blooms until late fall. **Prices: 1½-2 ft., 60c each, $50.00 per 100; 2-3, 80c each, $65.00 per 100.**

***SPIREA VAN HOUTTEI** Often called Bridal Wreath. Medium height with a great profusion of white flowers in May or June. Splendid for foundation plantings, at entrances or as specimen plants. Succeeds everywhere. **Prices: 1½-2 ft., 35c each, $32.00 per 100; 2-3, 50c each, $40.00 per 100.**

A WONDERFUL SHRUB

WHITE KERRIA (*Rhodotypus Kerrioides*). A shrub from Japan. (See photo at upper left—beneath Carolina Poplar). Large, single white flowers, followed by showy black fruits. Blooms in May and continues over a long season. **Prices: 2-3 ft., 60c each, $5.50 per 10; 3-4 ft., 75c each, $7.00 per 10.**

Stately, Tall, Flowering Shrubs

***WEIGELA ROSEA** (*Diervilla Florida*). See photo center right. Beautiful shrub, arching branches nearly hidden by great clumps of trumpet shaped, rose-colored flowers in early June. No planting complete without clumps of this magnificent shrub. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

***DOGWOOD, RED STEMMED** (*Cornus Alba Siberica*). All-purpose shrub. White flowers early summer; showy red twigs during winter. Light blue berries. Rapid grower, hardy. Makes a beautiful clump in the shrub border or when planted alone. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

ANGELICA TREE Five-Leaved Aralia (*Acanthopanax Pentaphylla*). Glossy, rich green leaves. Small yellow flowers in June. Hardy, rapid grower, thrives in any soil—in dry, sandy or shady spots where others would fail. Slender, arching branches, small thorns, splendid tall protective hedge. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

WAYFARING TREE (*Viburnum Lantana*). Upright shrub with large filmy white flowers in May followed by pink berries which later turn red, then black. Heart-shaped crinkly foliage, light green above and silvery beneath. Very hardy, rapid grower and thrives most anywhere, even in the shade. Splendid for planting in clumps, for screens or as a background for lower shrubs. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 70c, $6.50 for 10; 3-4, 85c, $7.50 for 10.**

RED BUD or Judas Tree (*Cercis Canadensis*). Native shrub or small tree producing a mass of rosy pink, pea-shaped flowers very early in the spring before the leaves appear. Foliage, glossy and heart shaped, turning a beautiful yellow in autumn. Thrives in shade. **Prices—Each, 3-4 ft., 90c, $8.50 for 10; 4-6, $1.10, $10.00 for 10.**

PUSSY WILLOW (*Salix Caprea*). An upright shrub, useful for planting in borders or as specimens. Especially interesting in early spring with its large silky, silvery-gray buds. **Prices—Each: 3-4 ft., 70c, $6.50 for 10; 4-6, $1.00, $9.00 for 10.**

IVY, ENGELMAN'S (*Ampelopsis Quinquefolia Engelmanni*). Clings tenaciously to stone or brick walls and gives a solid rich green effect. Hardy and a rapid grower. **Prices: 55c, $5.00 for 10.**

***SNOWBALL** or Guelder Rose (*Viburnum Opulus Sterile*). See two photos bottom of page. Magnificent shrub almost covered with great white flowers in May. Foliage rich red in fall. As an individual shrub for the lawn or in clumps, it is a magnificent sight. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

HIGH BUSH CRANBERRY (*Viburnum Opulus*). Large, flat, creamy-white flowers, 4 in. wide, in spring followed by bright scarlet berry clusters that hang on all winter. **Price—Each: 2-3 ft., 65c, $6.00 for 10; 3-4, 80c, $7.50 for 10.**

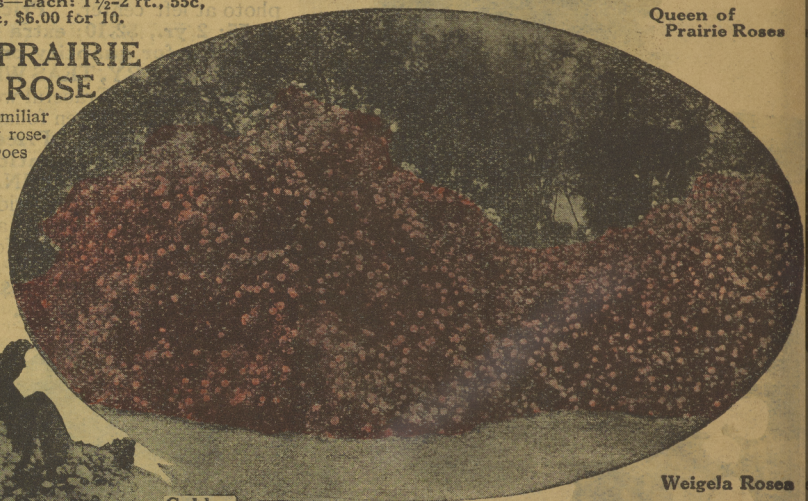
CAROLINA ALLSPICE or Sweet Scented Shrub (*Calycanthus Floridus*). A favorite of the old-fashioned garden, bearing chocolate colored flowers with a spicy, aromatic fragrance; large, dark green foliage. Blooms early. **Prices—Each: 1½-2 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 2-3, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

QUEEN OF PRAIRIE CLIMBING ROSE (*H. C.*) An old familiar standby; red climbing rose. Extremely hardy. Does well on arbor, porch or trellis and withstands severe conditions. **Prices: 60c each, $5.50 for 10.**

SPIREA, GOLDEN (*Spirea Opulifolia Aurea*). (Shown below.) A very showy shrub with golden-yellow tinted foliage, which, in June, bears attractive double white flowers. It adds interesting variety to the lawn. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 55c, $5.00 for 10; 3-4, 65c, $6.00 for 10.**

***LILAC** President Grevy (*Syringa*—budded variety). Profusion of extremely large, light blue, double flowers, often ten inches long and very fragrant. Other varieties have flowers of various colors, reddish purple, white, pink, lavender, etc. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 90c, $8.50 for 10; 3-4, $1.25, $11.00 for 10. Other colors budded lilac, same prices.**

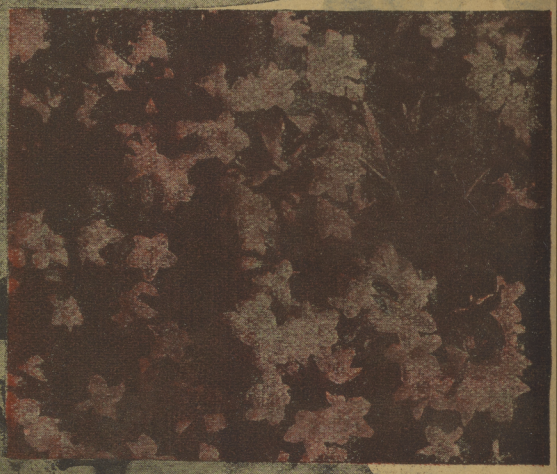
LILAC Persian (*Syringa Persica*). Great masses of fragrant, pale lavender blooms in May. Compact growth. **Prices—Each: 2-3 ft., 85c, $8.00 for 10; 3-4, 95c, $9.00 for 10.**



Queen of Prairie Roses

Weigela Rosea

Golden Spirea (Spirea Opuli Aurea)



SELECTED SHRUBS

The beauty of any home, however attractive, can be made more attractive and more homelike by planting a few of the excellent things in this class of ornamentals. A surprisingly small sum invested will work wonders in beautifying your home grounds. **For over 50 other desirable varieties than here named, see our general price list enclosed.**

Snowball (Viburnum Op. Ster.)

Snowball Blossom

"Stark Shrubs Grow and Bloom Gloriously"

Graceful Shade Trees

Of Moderately Fast Growth

*ELM, AMERICAN WHITE

(*Ulmus Americana*). See big center photo. Grandest and most satisfactory of all long lived shade trees. Succeeds everywhere. Grows in a tall vase-like form with graceful spreading and drooping branches. Easily transplanted and rapidly develops into a shade tree that is particularly adapted to lawn and avenue plantings. Unexcelled for planting for shade near buildings as its lofty branches permit air to circulate and grass to grow underneath. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., 85c; 6-8, $1.10; 8-10, $1.50. See price list for quantity prices.**

LINDEN, AMERICAN

(*Tilia Americana*). Large native tree, rapid growth. Fragrant, creamy-white flowers in July. Upright, stately tree, bright green, heart-shaped foliage. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., $1.30; 6-8, $1.80; 8-10, $2.50. See price list for quantity prices.**

RUSSIAN OLIVE

or Silver Leaf Oleaster (*Eleagnus Angustifolia*). Tall shrub or small tree. Golden yellow, fragrant flowers blooming in June, followed by silver berries. Picturesque effect of silver-gray foliage. Fine for quick screens, hedges, or lower shrub background. **Prices—each: 2-3 ft., 55c; 3-4 ft., 75c; 4-6 ft., $1.00. See price list for quantity prices.**

MAPLE, SUGAR OR HARD

(*Acer Saccharum*). See photo lower right corner. Tall native tree of moderate growth and long life—valuable for sugar production. Bright green foliage changing to a magnificent golden yellow, orange and scarlet in autumn. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., $1.25; 6-8 ft., $1.60; 8-10, $2.25. See price list for quantity prices.**

*SYCAMORE, EUROPEAN

Or Plane Tree (*Platanus Orientalis*). See photo lower left corner. A splendid, rapid growing, upright tree, fine for street plantings. Succeeds everywhere. Easily transplanted. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., 85c; 6-8, $1.20; 8-10, $1.70. See price list for quantity prices.**

TULIP TREE

(*Liriodendron Tulipifera*). Rapid growing symmetrical tree, glossy foliage, large tulip shaped yellow flowers with orange colored centers in spring. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft., $1.20; 6-8, $1.80; 8-10, $2.40. See price list for quantity prices.**

*MAPLE, NORWAY

(*Acer Platanoides*). See photo right top. Beautiful, round headed, compact tree. Fairly rapid growth. Yellow flowers in early spring. Rich dark green foliage—clear golden yellow in the fall. Its symmetrical appearance has made it popular for avenue, lawn or park. Sturdy, strong branches require no pruning. This long lived tree is the best of all the maples. **Prices—Each: 5-6 ft. $1.50; 6-8, $2.25; 8-10, $3.00. See price list for quantity prices.**

Climbing Vines

BOSTON IVY

(*Ampelopsis Veitchii*). Hardy with small, neat, compact foliage. Used extensively for covering churches, stone or brick residences and walls. Rapid grower, American Ivy. **Prices: 70c; $6.50 for 10.**

*HONEYSUCKLE, HALL'S

(*Lonicera Halliana*). Most popular. Delicious fragrance, profusion white and yellow blossoms. Often stays green until midwinter and is practically evergreen in South. **Prices: 50c; $4.50 for 10.**

HONEYSUCKLE, SCARLET TRUMPET

(*Lonicera Sempervirens*). See photo at far right. Profuse large, brilliant colored flowers from June to September. Bright berry clusters. **Prices: 60c; $5.50 for 10.**

*IVY, AMERICAN, or VIRGINIA CREEPER

(*Ampelopsis Quinquefolia*). Beautiful native vine. Five-parted leaves, rich green, turning bright scarlet in fall. Extremely hardy, rapid growing. Clusters of blue-black berries. We consider this the best all purpose vine. **Prices: 50c; $4.50 for 10.**

*WISTARIA, CHINESE

(*Wistaria Chinensis*). Beautiful, fragrant light purple pea-shaped flowers, clusters often a foot long, blooms in May. Hardy, rapid grower. **Prices: 75c; $7.00 for 10.**

MAPLE NORWAY

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"Poems are made by fools like me, but only God can make a Tree"
—Joyce Kilmer

Vegetable and Flower Seed Section

A Garden Full of Vegetables for $1

"The quantity of seeds in your Dollar Vegetable Collection was the biggest surprise I ever got. They were far better seeds, too, than those I got from the big eastern seed house. Half of their seed didn't come up. 98 out of 100 Stark Seeds came up and produced crops larger than any other seed I ever used in my life. I sold $45.75 worth of vegetables from my garden and had all my family needed, too!" —writes G. C. Haskall, South Hadley, Mass.

With this Dollar Collection of Stark Seeds you can have a splendid 20x42 ft. garden that will yield a surprising amount of first quality easily grown vegetables and vegetable fruit.

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1 Pkt.	Beans—Burpee's Imp. Bush Lima	1 Pkt.	Parsnip—Guernsey
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1 Pkt.	Carrot—Chantenay	1 Pkt.	Radish—Scarlet Globe
1 Pkt.	Cucumber—Early Fortune	1 Pkt.	Squash—Early White Bush
1 Pkt.	Cabbage—All Head Early	1 Pkt.	Salsify—Sandwich Island
1 Pkt.	Celery—Columbia	1 Pkt.	Spinach—Round Thick Leaf
1 Pkt.	Sugar Corn—Golden Bantam	1 Pkt.	Tomato—Acme
1 Pkt.	Swiss Chard—Lucullus	1 Pkt.	Watermelon—Sugar Stick
1 Pkt.	Lettuce—Grand Rapids	1 Pkt.	Turnip—Purple Top White Globe
1 Pkt.	Parsley—Emerald—Extra Curled		
1 Pkt.	Peas—Nott's Excelsior	1 Pkt.	Tomato—Stark's Select Dwarf Giant

This collection is such a bargain at the price that we cannot permit any substitutions or changes of varieties named. Sent postpaid for $1.00!

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This will show you how to best plan your garden—to have a succession of crops all summer and early fall.

"Economy Garden"

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Enough Seed for Big 35x50 ft. Garden

1 oz.	Beet—Crosby's Egyptian	1 oz.	Parsnip—Guernsey
2 big pkts.	Beans—Extra Early Red Valentine	1 big pkt.	Parsley—Extra Curled or Emerald
2 big pkts.	Beans—Pole Lima King of the Garden	1 oz.	Radish—Scarlet Globe
1 oz.	Carrots—Oxheart	1 big pkt.	Rutabaga—Large White (Sweet Russian)
1 big pkt.	Cabbage—Early—Early Jersey Wakefield	1 oz.	Salsify—Mam. Sandwich Island. We may not be able to get seed.
1 big pkt.	Cabbage—Late—Premium Flat Dutch	1 big pkt.	Swiss Chard—Giant Lucullus
1 oz.	Cucumber—London Long Green	1 big pkt.	Squash—Summer—Giant Crookneck
1 big pkt.	Celery—Columbia	1 big pkt.	Squash—Winter—True Hubbard
2 big pkts.	Sugar Corn—Stowell's Evergreen	1 big pkt.	Spinach—New Zealand
1 big pkt.	Kohl Rabi—White Vienna	1 big pkt.	Pepper—Ruby King
1 big pkt.	Lettuce—Loose Leaf—Grand Rapids	1 big pkt.	Tomato—Early—Stark's Earliana
1 big pkt.	Lettuce—Head—Calif. Cream Butter	1 big pkt.	Tomato—Main Crop—Bonny Best
1 big pkt.	Muskmelon—Emerald Gem	2 big pkts.	Peas—Nott's Excelsior
1 big pkt.	Onion—Southport Yellow Globe		

Our NEW "Big Family" $5.00 Collection

1 oz.	Beet—Crosby's Egyptian	1 big pkt.	Swiss Chard—Giant Lucullus
1 oz.	Beet—Long, Smooth Blood Red	½ oz.	Cabbage—Enkhuizen Glory
1 big pkt.	Brussels Sprouts—Long Island Imp.	½ oz.	Cabbage—Surehead
1 oz.	Carrot—Oxheart	1 big pkt.	Cauliflower—Ex. Ely. Dwf. Erfurt.
1 big pkt.	Herbs—Caraway	2 big pkts.	Celery—Columbia
1 oz.	Onion—Ohio Yellow Globe	2 big pkts.	Celery—Giant Pascal
1 big pkt.	Onion—White Portugal	1 oz.	Lettuce—Grand Rapids
1 oz.	Parsnip—Guernsey	1 big pkt.	Lettuce—May King
1 oz.	Radish—Scarlet Globe	1 oz.	Spinach—Savoy Leaved
1 oz.	Radish—White Icicle	1 oz.	Pumpkin—Sugar
1 oz.	Salsify—Mam. Sandwich Island	1 oz.	Cucumber—Early Fortune
1 oz.	Turnip—Purple Top White Globe	1 oz.	Cucumber—Everbearing
1 oz.	Turnip—Purple Top Strap.—Leaf	1 big pkt.	Eggplant—N. Y. Spineless
1 lb.	Beans—Stringless Green Pod	1 oz.	Muskmelon—Ex. Ely. Hackensack
1 lb.	Beans—Wardwell's Kidney Wax	1 oz.	Watermelon—Sugar Stick
2 big pkts.	Lima Beans—King of the Garden	1 big pkt.	Pepper—Neapolitan
1 big pkt.	Pop Corn—White Rice	1 big pkt.	Rutabaga—Sweet Russian
1 lb.	Sugar Corn—Golden Bantam	1 big pkt.	Rhubarb—Linnaeus
1 lb.	Sugar Corn—Stowell's Evergreen	1 oz.	Squash—True Hubbard
1 lb.	Peas—American Wonder	1 big pkt.	Tomato—John Baer
1 lb.	Peas—Telephone	1 big pkt.	Tomato—Bonny Best

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Good Things to Grow—To Eat

Asparagus

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A variety developed by expert plant breeders of U. S. Dept. Agric. Very uniform. Equal to the best of the older varieties in yield, producing large shoots of excellent quality. It also has the great outstanding virtue of being **almost completely resistant to Rust,** the most serious Asparagus disease. We can confidently recommend this new variety to **YOU** who want **the best. Big pkt., 20c; oz., 80c; ¼ lb., $2.50; lb., $8.00.**

Columbian Mammoth White

Produces enormous tender white stalks. A good seller on the market. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.25.**

Palmetto—One of the most popular varieties of asparagus, producing medium sized stalks. Are of a beautiful green color which is retained after cooking. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.25.**

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Collards

Georgia or Creole—This is the standard variety and is largely grown in some sections. Makes finest greens from early until late season. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., $1.00.**

Brussels Sprouts

Long Island Improved—

Is the best known on the market and the most satisfactory with gardeners everywhere. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 85c; lb., $2.50**

Cauliflower

Dry Weather—Produces larger heads than Early Snowball and resists unfavorable weather conditions so much better that it often makes a crop of good quality where other varieties fail. It endures dry weather better than the others. Cauliflower is a fine garden crop and is worthy of special effort in its production. **Big pkt., 25c; ¼-oz., $1.00; 1 oz., $3.50; ¼-lb., $10.00.**

Our Choicest Celery

Columbia—A fine, early celery, grows to a good size, stalky, light green foliage with yellow tinge, thick, round stalks. **See Inside Back Cover.** It has a fine flavor and is crisp. We consider it an exceptionally good celery and one that will give satisfaction to the most particular trade and will please those who grow it for home use. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.50; lb., $5.00.**

Giant Pascal—This is probably the most largely grown market celery and is seen on the markets everywhere. It is a rich, dark green until banked up when it blanches to a deep cream color. The plants are strong, make vigorous growth and the leaf stalks are solid, thick and broad. **Big pkt., 10c.; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.75; lb., $3.50.**

Easy Blanching

Easy Blanching—The name is descriptive of the variety. It can be blanched with remarkable ease and those who have not been successful in growing good celery should try it. Very resistant to disease, also. Thick stalks, tender, brittle, fine. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 45c; oz., 80c; ¼-lb., $2.50; lb., $8.00.**

Golden Self Blanching

Golden Self Blanching—This we consider to be the best of all the self-blanching sorts and is the most largely grown variety of any. The stalks grow to a large size, with big solid hearts. Earliness and crispness are two of its many good points.

Choice American Grown — **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 35c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $2.00; lb., $6.00.**

French Grown—**Big pkt., 20c; ½-oz., 75c; oz., $1.20; ¼-lb., $4.00; lb., $12.00.**

White Plume—A celery of beautiful appearance and of good quality, is of slender growth, light green leaves shaded to nearly white at the tips. One of the most satisfactory kinds for early markets, because of quick maturity, and is largely grown for that purpose. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $3.75.**

Winter Queen—This is an excellent winter celery of dwarf stocky habit of growth. Has the dark, healthy green color of Giant Pascal but blanches out to a clear, creamy white. One of the best keeping celeries we list. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $3.50.**

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Golden Self-Blanching Celery

Cauliflower That Melts in Your Mouth

Cauliflower

Early Snowball—Large, solid, white heads and **the surest and most dependable in the north.** It is very early, of medium size, very white and is the standard variety. We offer especial improved strain. **Big pkt., 25c; ¼-oz., $1.00; oz., $3.50; ¼-lb., $10.00.**

Extra Early Dwarf Erfurt—Another good sort, with very firm heads and of excellent quality. Later than Early Snowball. **Big pkt., 25c; ¼-oz., 75c; oz., $2.50; ¼-lb., $8.00.**

Veitch's Autumn Giant—Popular in the south, is a large heading, late fall sort, very white and well protected by large foliage; rather long stem. **Big pkt., 10c; ¼-oz., 25c; oz., 75c; ¼-lb., $2.50.**

Improved Long Island Brussels Sprouts

Early Snowball Cauliflower

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A New and Better Cauliflower

Perfection—Combining the well known good points of the Early Snowball with a habit of producing somewhat longer leaves which curve in over the head as it matures. This insures the production of nice white heads **without the expensive and tedious tying up necessary with the other varieties of Cauliflower.** Growers of Cauliflower should not miss this opportunity to grow good cauliflower at a lower cost of production. **Big pkt., 25c; ¼ oz., 80c; oz., $2.75; ¼ lb., $8.50.**

Fine Table Beets are Easily Grown

Ⓢ Eclipse (*Stark Strain*) Early Maturing—A magnificent appearing and high quality round beet—bright, glossy red, skin perfectly smooth, and regular in size and shape, fine grained, small top and **easy to grow.** It makes a rapid growth, matures extremely early and is well known on all markets; **for the table it is unsurpassed.** A fine variety for the market gardener, as it is just the right size, makes attractive bunches and is popular because it pays the gardener and pleases the buyer. Seed can be sown at intervals until mid-summer—the mid-summer sowings are for fall use and for canning. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Long Smooth Blood Red—An old standard long beet that we believe will grow satisfactorily with less moisture than any other variety. Gardeners will find it of fine quality even in late season when many varieties get coarse and lose flavor. Like all long beets it matures slowly. The color is a deep dark red. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Mangel Wurzels (Stock Feed)

Ⓢ Mammoth Prize Long Red—A widely grown, long, red mangel, though of immense size is not coarse, and we believe will do better on thin soil than any other. Often weighs from twenty to twenty-five pounds. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 25c; lb., 75c.**

Ⓢ Golden Tankard—The standard mangel; rich golden yellow flesh, cylindrical in shape, easily taken up and splendid keepers. With fairly good ground and average cultivation they should produce from forty to fifty tons per acre. In yield, no mangel surpasses it and none have better feeding qualities. Increases milk yield and improves health of cows. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 25c; lb., 75c.**

Giant Half Sugar Rose—**The most easily harvested of all the mangels.** Upper portion soft bright pink, shading downward to white, which is color of lower third of root. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., 80c.**

Sugar Beets

Lane's Imperial—(*For Sugar Making*) Largest of sugar beets; yields tremendous crops with high percentage of sugar. Largely used for stock feeding, also. Color flesh is clear white. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., 80c.**

Klein Wanzleben—Largely grown for beet sugar factories. Yields large percentage sugar. Large size, long, broad at top, tapering evenly to point. Grows deeply sunk in ground. Hardy, small tops, and **can be grown closer together than Lane's Imperial.** Flesh, white. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., 80c.**

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"The carrots and beets we ised from STARK SEEDS is year were the best we er had in our garden. me weighed 1 pound ch. Sold them for 5 nts lb. Your Stark rees also have ne fine for s."—J. H. udolph, lympia, ash.

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Ⓢ Crosby's Egyptian—Every housewife with a garden wants a good, real early table beet growing, and every housewife who is not fortunate enough to have a garden of her own wants this same kind of a beet for her table. Crosby's Egyptian exactly fills the bill; it is the **first out-of-door beet to make its appearance;** it is a flattened globe-shaped, smooth, bright red, fine grained delicious variety that runs very uniform in size and just right for tying in bunches for the market. It is generally **ready for the table about fifty days from sowing.**

It succeeds in any reasonably rich soil, but like other beets prefers loose, fresh, warm am, well drained and thoroughly rich. There are a number of good varieties of early aturing beets but we consider Crosby's Egyptian the best, with Eclipse a close second.

For the truck gardener, this early variety is an important crop and any city and town arket will handle big quantities of them. They can also be profitably shipped to distant arkets as they bear transportation well and there is always a market for every good beet oduced at this season and this variety is specially recommended because it as all the good points necessary for an early commercial sort. **Big pkt., 10c; oz. c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Ⓢ Extra Early Egyptian—These beets are rather small—rounded at the top, but flat at the bottom end, and of delicious quality. hen the season is favorable and the seeds are sown early they are ready for the ble in June. Because of their real earliness, an early planting of this variety ould be made for the first crop. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

rimson Globe—This variety is well known and popular among market-gardeners. It is of medium size, round oval in shape, deep imson, **exquisitely tender and of finest flavor.** It is ready for use early, and mains tender for a long time. Its shape and medium size makes it a good can-ng variety. Beets should be pulled and used while young; do not let them stay the ground until they are overgrown and become coarse. A better plan is to w seeds every two or three weeks up to July 1st. This will give you fresh, ten-r, young beets all summer. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Improved Blood—Exceptionally good strain blood beet. Red, fine grained flesh. Leaves smaller than those of most sorts and together with the stems are dark red in color. Roots are of medium size, very sweet and retain their tenderness until late season. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Detroit Dark Red
⅙ Natural Size

Ⓢ Detroit Dark Red—A standard main crop market variety—globular to oval in shape; smooth, good market size, and always uniform, deep blood red with dark red flesh, and for the table is unexcelled. **The ideal sort to follow the extra early kinds** such as Crosby's Egyptian and Stark Strain Eclipse. It may also be sown about August 1st for a crop to store for winter use. New varieties come and go, but the Detroit Dark Red, year after year, maintains its popularity and holds its place right at the top of the list of good mid-season beets. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $1.50.**

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Stark Half-Long Danvers Carrot ½ Actual Size

Carrots are Full of Nutrition

Stark's Heart of Orange—A NEW Carrot—originated in Europe. Unquestionably the foremost improvement in Carrots in recent years—and worthy of our S symbol of superiority. It derives its name from its glowing orange color and sweet flavor. Has smooth, slightly tapering roots with a blunt point and small tap-root. **Only limited supply of seed this year. Pkt., 15c.**

Stark Half Long Danvers—In our judgment, the best carrot for both the garden and field. Our second choice is Oxheart. The roots are a rich orange color and of good large size. They are smooth, blunt pointed, crisp, and tender, easily harvested and keep well. This variety is probably better known on the market than any other. **Big pkt., 5c; ½ oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Stark Improved Long Orange—A twelve-inch long, smooth, orange colored carrot of good table quality and a highly nutritious variety for feeding stock. An old kind that is good for table use and field culture; has sweet, tender flesh, is regular in shape and no variety produces more heavily. Does best in a deep, rich sandy soil. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Oxheart (*Guerande*) Improved Strain—This is an early, short, thick carrot of extra good quality, deep orange color, popular for bunching. May be used on ground that is too hard and stiff for the long-growing kinds. Oxheart is valuable for feeding stock, but is also valuable for table use, while young. It is three to four inches broad at the neck, and being short, it pulls easily. We consider this and Danver's Half Long the best of the carrots, although there are other varieties that are favorites of many. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Early Golden Ball (*French Forcing*)—An extremely early, round variety that is largely used for early forcing. It is orange colored and makes handsome bunches. Recommended for planting in the kitchen garden for table and market. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Short Horn (*Early Scarlet Horn*)—An excellent, very early carrot and seed may be sown as early as the earliest radishes. The roots are short and stubby, orange color, fine grained, agreeable flavor, and is at its best while it is young and before it attains full growth. We recommend especially for shallow soil. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

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Stock Feed Carrots

Large Yellow Belgian—Possibly the most popular carrot for stock feeding. It is a light, lemon yellow in color and of immense size—from twelve to eighteen inches long, is rather coarse in texture, but ideal for stock. The yield is tremendous and we strongly advise growing more of these field carrots, and the increasing price of grain makes it more and more advisable. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., 90c.**

Chantenay (*Model*)—An early, yellow fleshed carrot that is the market-gardener's favorite, and a table variety that is unsurpassed in quality. A broad shouldered, stubby, smooth variety that grows about five to six inches long; the tops are small and can stand close together in the row without injury. Recommended for the main crop or for an early kind. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c lb., $1.00.**

Turnips Fine Winter Food

Purple Top White Globe—A large turnip, often six inches in diameter globular shape, top purplish red. Lower half clear white; flesh white, crisp, mild. Keeps well. Many growers use them for stock feed. Equally desirable for table use. One of the best producers. **It is popular because of its beauty, splendid size and its unapproached quality.** This turnip stands in a class by itself. **Big pkt., 5c oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Seven Top—**Favorite variety to grow for greens.** For this purpose nothing superior. Very small roots develop, but large leaves are produced in great abundance. Tops are used extensively in some sections for stock feeding similar to Rape. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., 85c.**

Early White Flat Dutch Strap-Leaf—Creamy white flat turnip of quick growth with **mild sweet flesh of fine quality.** Early maturing, very productive. For fall and early winter use one of the most popular. Used when small it is extremely tender. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

White Egg—**Quick growing,** egg shaped, white variety. Grows to good size and very best quality. Skin clear white, **flesh fine-grained, mild and sweet, cooks well.** Largely grown, as it is very early and is adapted for either spring or fall sowing. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Long White or Cowhorn—Widely grown field turnip, carrot shaped, growing nearly half out of the ground. The flesh well flavored, fine-grained. When young good for table use. Also **desirable for stock feeding and is largely planted for that purpose.** Its long horn-like roots grow deeply. Grown by some farmers for loosening up tight soils. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Large Yellow or Amber Globe—Popular, yellow-fleshed, fine-grained sweet-flavored turnip. Produces good crops. Keeps in perfect condition until Spring. Globe shaped and size averages large. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Yellow Aberdeen—Large turnip, often used for cattle feeding. Solid, nutritious, keeps well. Has purple top, good size and good quality. Grown mostly for fall use. Not recommended for winter storage. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Golden Ball or Orange Jelly—One of the best known yellow turnips. **A good table variety** as flesh is fine grained, pure yellow, sweet and tender. Extra large, makes ideal fall crop for winter storage. Beautiful amber color when cooked. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Early Red or Purple Top Strap Leaf—Widely used early sort, rather flat, 4 or 5 inches in diameter, small foliage, a purplish-red top, while lower portion is clear white. Flesh tender and mild and of pleasing flavor, white, crisp and fine-grained. Good for either early or winter use. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Purple Top White Globe Turnip

Edible Seeds

Beans—Easy to Grow Plentifully

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Burpee's Stringless Green Pod Bush Beans

Black Valentine—Noted for hardiness and resistance to disease. Pods straight, dark green, attractive. Somewhat stringy when full grown. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

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(S) Bountiful—One of most productive green podded bush varieties. Produces great abundance wide, fleshy light-green pods. Kept picked clean, will outyield almost any other. Pods entirely stringless until full grown. Also used as green shell beans. Plants upright, carry pods well above ground. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Tennessee Green Pod—Well known in Southern and Central States. Sometimes called Dwarf Kentucky Wonder. Mid-season snap and shell bean, makes large plant well filled with large fleshy pods. We recommend it for all sections. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lb., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c.**

(S) Burpee's Stringless Green Pod—This is an early bean, an extra good yielder and one of the finest stringless green podded varieties. It is hardy, early maturing and bears through a long season, produces immense crops and is adapted to both the home and market garden. In our judgment **it is unsurpassed** by any variety of its type. The pod measures six inches long and is brittle and absolutely stringless, even when full grown. Be sure to leave a place for this Stringless Green podded sort. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c lb.**

(S) Extra Early Red Valentine—A choice green podded bush bean with pods about four inches long, round, fleshy, tender, of good flavor, bears through a long season; the pods are pointed, round, fleshy and brittle, even when fully matured. More resistant to cold and wet. The plants are compact, grow to about eighteen inches high and produce abundantly. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 22c per lb.**

(S) Masterpiece—Most productive early bush bean recently introduced. Best of all for forcing, and very early planting. Bears very long flat green pods much like those of Bountiful. Stringless when young. Do not delay picking as they mature quickly. Flavor superior. **Big pkt., 15c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Giant Stringless Green Pod—Pods about five inches long, light green, very meaty, and absolutely stringless. This variety is entirely distinct from the old Stringless Green Pod and ripens a week later than the Extra Early Red Valentine. For the home garden it is an excellent strain. The beans are good for canning on account of their flavor and brittleness. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Refugee or 1000 to 1—Among the very heaviest croppers of the bush bean; round, light green, about five inches long, of good quality as snaps, almost stringless, of good flavor and is **a popular variety for canning—being a little later than the other green pod sorts.** It is one of the most prolific and is grown in gardens everywhere. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 22c per lb.**

Lady Washington A very prolific strain of **Navy bean,** bushy and of strong growth. Dry beans pure white, and **average about a third larger than navy or pea beans.** Well adapted to dry soils and locations, as the weight of pods causes them to rest on the ground where they are liable to be injured by wet weather in moist locations. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 35c; 5 lbs., $1.50. By express 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Dwarf Horticultural—Pods four and one-half to five inches long, stout, flat, practically stringless when young; used both as a snap bean and for shelling. The beans are a fair size, tender, and fine flavored. This is a popular variety and is largely grown. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Red Kidney—An old, well known bean that is so **fine for baking.** The pods are from five to six inches long, produced in great profusion on dwarf bushes; the beans are typical kidney shape, light red and are satisfactory in every way. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.80. By express 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

White Marrowfat—The plant is dwarf, bears well, and is extremely popular sort for shelling. It is extensively grown for sale for winter use. It is a large, white bean, twice the size of the average navy bean. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 35c; 5 lbs., $1.50. By express 10 lbs. or more at 16c per lb.**

(S) New Robust—A real improved Navy Bean. Starting with a single plant selection, it was found **Resistant to Blight** and **Immune to Mosaic,** the two most serious bean diseases. Rapidly becoming the **Standard** Navy Bean. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 22c per lb.**

(S) Improved Golden Wax—Here is the ideal bush wax bean; it grows about fifteen inches high, holds the pods well above the soil, and produces big crops of stout, straight, lemon yellow, stringless pods that are brittle and of finest quality—the best bean of its type. Improved Golden Wax, in our judgment, is the best from every standpoint. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

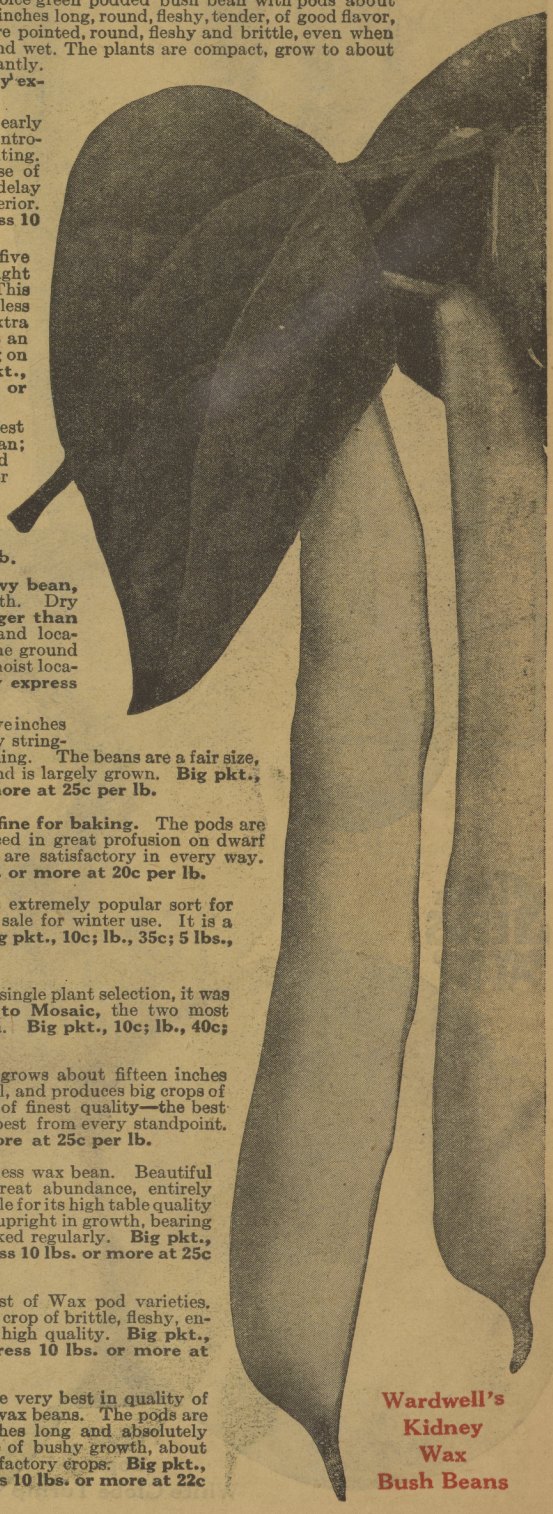
avis White Wax—If you want an extra early White Wax bean, we recommend this one—the earst hardy white-seeded high quality wax bean. It is good in ery respect—yields well, is of superior quality, most appetizg in appearance when cooked. It is one of the finest string ans and when it is large enough to shell, it can hardly be surassed for that purpose. The pods are straight, bright lemon llow, remain tender longer than any variety we know and the ants continue in bearing through a long period. **Big pkt., 10c; ., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 22c per .**

(S) Wardwell's Kidney Wax—A wax bean bearing long, flat pods, yellow in color, very ittle, and stringless; matures a little later than Rustproof olden Wax and always produces a good crop. It is a well known d widely planted bean and is popular with all gardeners. ig pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or ore at 25c per lb.

Sure Crop—Wonderfully fine stringless wax bean. Beautiful large waxen pods in great abundance, entirely stringless even when full grown. Notable for its high table quality and productiveness. Plants vigorous, upright in growth, bearing loads of pods during long season if picked regularly. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Prolific Black Wax—One of earliest of Wax pod varieties. Produces fine crop of brittle, fleshy, entirely stringless Golden Yellow Pods of high quality. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Pencil Pod Black Wax—Among the very best in quality of the early wax beans. The pods are round and are from six to seven inches long and absolutely stringless; the flavor is fine. Plants are of bushy growth, about fifteen inches high and always bear satisfactory crops. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 22c per lb.**



Wardwell's Kidney Wax Bush Beans

—Full of Nutrition—Perfect Food

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Kentucky Wonder The climbing or pole beans will naturally produce more than the bush beans, because there is more bearing space and then again they continue bearing much later. Of all the climbing kinds, we do not believe there is a better one than Kentucky Wonder; it is an old variety with solid meaty pods, seven to nine inches long, that are stringless when young, and when cooked no bean is better. **It is enormously productive,** the pods hanging in **great** clusters from top to bottom of the pole. It is a splendid snap bean. After a test of many years in gardens everywhere, it is still the most popular of its type. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Kentucky Wonder Wax—A pole bean bearing fine long waxy pods resembling in form and size the green pods of Kentucky Wonder. Early for a pole variety, very productive and excellent quality as green shell bean. Thick fleshy pods fine as snap beans for which they should be used before seed becomes well developed. Possess a rich meaty flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Stark Seeds Paid Him

H. C. Staiger, Broad Brook, Conn., asserts:—"Stark Seeds certainly bear. I like your Golden Wax Beans very much because they gave me such a heavy crop of nice crisp beans—not a string in one of them. All my Stark Seeds **paid** for themselves many times over."

Pole Beans

Burger's Stringless Green Pod—Pods average five or six inches in length, straight, round, slender, dark green, meaty, tender, fleshy and entirely stringless. It is a white seeded variety of German origin. Beans are pure white and **of excellent flavor.** This one of the best green podded pole beans and produces abundantly. In some sections it is known as White Seeded Kentucky Wonder. **Big pkt., 10c; lb. 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Lazy Wife—A broad and stringless pole bean, the pods containing from six to eight round, white beans of superior quality as a snap, green, or shell bean. It bears all summer and is one of the very best of its type. A late, productive, standard sort, stringless, very fleshy, brittle, fine-grained, attractive and is well known and recognized as one of the best pole beans. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Horticultural or Wren's Egg—This is an old favorite pole bean, also largely used for corn hill planting and is popular for either snap shorts or dry shelling. They are large, showy, of fine flavor and the **vines produce heavily** and mature early. This variety is especially adapted for short seasons and cool locations. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Golden Cluster—A popular wax-podded pole bean, with large pods, seven or eight inches long by three-fourths of an inch in width, rich golden yellow, stringless, of good quality. The dry beans are ivory white, oval and occasionally wrinkled. It is early, vigorous, hardy and productive, and the plant is of strong growth and satisfactory in every way. It is one of the best—if not the very best—of its class. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Yard Long or Asparagus—A real horticultural curicsity and a bean of splendid quality—having a distinct asparagus flavor. The pods are produced through a long season and are **usually about eighteen to twenty-four inches long,** and sometimes they reach a length of thirty-six inches. This is a pole bean and when bearing, always attracts a great deal of attention. **Big pkt., 15c; lb. 60c; 5 lbs., $2.75.** Should be used in green state. Do best in rich soil.

Bush Lima Beans

Burpee's Improved Bush Lima—This is a bush form of the large white lima that has long been known and liked by gardeners all over the country. This strain is very productive, pods and beans are of large size, and the **flavor is unsurpassed.** It is our choice of all varieties of this type and we recommend it. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Burpee's Fordhook Bush Lima Bean—This is the bush lima bean par excellence, coming to maturity in about 75 days. The plant is of strong, upright growth and carries its load without bending. The beans are **very large, thick, and of a most delicious flavor.** Even when full size, they are tender and sweet when ready for the table. The dried beans are oval in shape, very thick, and white with a greenish tinge. The plant attains a height of about one foot and the pods range from four to four and one-half inches in length, are produced in the greatest abundance, and each pod will contain three or four large beans. As is the case with all lima beans planting should not be done until the ground is thoroughly warm in the spring. **We strongly recommend this variety. Big pkt., 15c; lb., 55c; 5 lbs., $2.50. By express 10 lbs. or more at 40c per lb.**

Improved Henderson Bush Lima—Almost an ever-bearing variety, matures early and continues until frost; grows everywhere—east, west, north and south. This improved lima though smaller in size, is extremely early and the quality is superb—outyields all others. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Pole Lima Beans

King of the Garden—A large podded pole lima bean, the pods frequently containing four or five large beans of extra good quality. This is a standard sort, widely grown, and recognized as one of the best. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c lb.**

Challenger or Potato Lima—The pods average three or four inches in length and contain from three to five beans. They are of excellent flavor, are produced in great quantities in large clusters, and are ideal for the home garden. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Stark's Improved Giant Podded—A pole lima bean with immense pods, produced in the greatest abundance. These pods frequently measure seven or eight inches in length and from one and one-half to nearly two inches in width. It is thicker than any other pole lima and of very finest flavor. The vines grow rapidly and are satisfactory in every way. **Big pkt., 15c; lb., 55c; 5 lbs., $2.50. By express 10 lbs. or more at 35c per lb.**

Early Leviathan—One of the very earliest of pole lima beans and produ tremendous crops; are ready for use early and throughout the season. The pods are about five one-half inches long with beans of good size. favorite with many. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lb $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb**

Carolina, Sieva or Sewee (*The Butter Be of the South*)—They mature early and tinue bearing throughout whole season. The pods are plump and well fill vines hardy and are great producers. A favorite the southern country, but also grown in the cent west. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Seibert's Early Pole Lima—The earliest, the large seed pole Limas. Green beans almost as large as Leviath Matures almost as early as Carolina or Sieva. Be are highest quality. Pods are easy shelling. For a crop of early-maturing Lima beans plant this varie **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Royal Dwarf Kidney—Superior white seeded K ney Bean. Fine as sh bean. Large and vigorous growth—makes abunda crop. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By press 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Hodson Wax—Very productive, season medium late. Vigorous growth produ abundance of large fleshy Golden Yellow pods. Son what stringy full grown. Splendid shipper. **Big pk 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. more at 25c per lb.**

Use NITRAGIN or FARMOGER for Big Bean Crops

Ⓢ Means Stark's SELECT Varieties
Pole Beans
Kentucky Wonder
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Henderson's Bush Lima Bean

Stark's ©"Blight-Resister" Tomato Scores Great Triumph!

This is unquestionably **the** tomato for which we and all tomato-growers and home-gardeners have long looked for. It has been tested by the U. S. Bureau of Plant Industry (under the name Norton), and pronounced remarkably resistant to blight, wilt and destructive tomato diseases. The reports rendered to us by the U. S. Bureau of Plant Industry include this statement:—**"These were the first tomatoes we have been able to raise in 5 seasons**—on account of blight and wilt."—R. S. Moore, Abingdon, Va. This remarkable tomato was first—

[IMPROVED NORTON]

Brought to Our Attention by Prof. Ralston, Virginia Horticulturist

We have tested it—and found that it is probably the most valuable new tomato in the history of tomato-culture introduced in the last 25 years. By growing our test tomatoes under severe conditions, we have succeeded in developing an even better improved strain of the original Norton.

Blight, wilt and other tomato diseases have caused untold losses to growers. Home gardeners have seen their tomato plants wilt, droop and wither—and not knowing the scientific reason for this—have just blamed it on "bad luck" or "the weather." For both the home-gardener and the truck gardener (the man raising tomatoes for the market) Stark's "Blight-Resister" tomato (Imp. Norton) should prove a boon—taking a lot of the guesswork out of tomato-raising and putting a lot of tomato-profits into the grower's pockets.

Proved in Eight Different States

We have in our possession definite statements of the remarkable value of this tomato (Norton) from Directors of Experiment Stations and others in Indiana, Ohio, Virginia, Illinois, Georgia, Alabama, New Mexico and Texas. Read the statement by N. G. Swingle, well-known commercial grower, Columbus, Ohio (See bottom of page.) "The fruit was uniform in size. We did not find one tomato that had a crack or blemish on it. Every tomato was suitable for placing on exhibition at a fair."—E. W. Brooks, Pres., Brooks Tomato Prod. Co., Collinsville, Ill.

"Solid as a Peach"—Great Shipper

One rather astonishing feature of this tomato as grown in our Test Grounds is that even when allowed to become dead ripe on the vines it is still "solid as a peach," as one of our Test Garden Experts phrased it. It has a firm, solid skin and is a wonderful shipper. Yet, nevertheless, it is blessed with a zestful flavor and is exceedingly tender meated. In fact, it is "all meat," having very, very few seeds—even freer from seed than the Stark Strain of Giant Ponderosa.

Bears Big Crops of Huge, Ruby Red Beauties

"This tomato (Norton) produced 300 bushels to the acre. Stone planted next to it, 200 bu. to acre—and in another field severely affected by wilt 25 bu. per acre."—W. T. Mayer & Sons, Luray, Va.

It's a mid-season tomato—a strong vigorous grower—develops a very lusty system of roots and a strong, rugged vine, with luxuriant, rich dark green foliage which provides shade to prevent sunscald and help overcome bad effects of drouths.

All These Seeds Inspected and Selected by Us

Every lot of these tomatoes grown under our contract during the last season, was personally inspected by our Superintendent before being placed in the seed bins. We are selling only the very best—**only a very limited supply this year**—and each lot has been severely tested for a high order of germination.

Supply Very Limited!

Orders will be filled in the order received. If you send in order after supply is exhausted, your money will be returned.

25 cts. Per Packet
Postpaid by Us.
7 Packets for $1.00
Postpaid by Us.
$2.00 Per Ounce
$6.00 Per ¼ Pound
$15.00 Per Pound

"Not Only Wilt-Proof But Disease-Resistant"

"My opinion of this tomato (Norton) is that it not only is wilt-proof but disease-resistant."—N.G. Swingle, Commercial Grower, Columbus, O.

The World's Best Tomatoes

(S) True Giant Ponderosa— A giant in size, a beauty in shape and color, and a wonder for profit. Solid fleshed, sweet flavored, big, handsome variety, a great favorite with housewives everywhere. We urge garden planters to plant the old reliable Ponderosa, one of the largest, showiest, most solid, highest quality tomatoes. There are a number of varieties, carrying different names, that we understand are really Ponderosas; **we offer the true strain under the right name.** Rather oblong in form, practically without seeds, fine, sweet flavor, and by selection has been very much improved over the old type, much of the roughness being removed and the tendency to split practically overcome. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 35c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $1.75; lb , $6.00.**

(S) Stark Golden Ponderosa— Same size, same shape, same solid flesh as our True Giant Ponderosa, but a wonderful glowing golden color and delightful flavor—**finest of all yellow tomatoes. Especially desirable for slicing and salads,** particularly when combined with red Ponderosa. Growing more popular every year. Vines are strong growers and **extremely heavy bearers.** Ripen about same time as red Ponderosa. **Big pkt., 15c; ½-oz., 40c; oz., 70c; ¼-lb., $2.25; lb., $7.00.**

(S) John Baer— Extremely early, brilliant scarlet tomato. Ripens just after Spark's Earliana and slightly larger. **Yields abundantly** through long season. Perfectly smooth, very meaty, solid, ships splendidly, **quality marvelous—mild, deliciously sweet with** hardly any acidity, no core, almost free from seed. Short vines, but **tremendously productive**—noted for strong growing, vigor, drought-and-disease-resisting qualities. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz.,40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

(S) Stark's Select Dwarf Giant— Giant-size tomatoes borne in huge crops on dwarf plants. Ours is the **wonderfully** improved strain. **A fancy tomato for home or market.** Ripens week ahead of Giant Ponderosa. Probably most meaty of all, nearly seedless, exquisite flavor, firm, fine grained flesh, with no core at all. **Wonderfully stocky, strong, fast growing plant. Our strain resists diseases. Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 45c; oz., 80c; ¼-lb., $2.25; lb., $8.00.**

Acme— An **early tomato** of about same season as Earliana, but a **purplish sort. There is always a demand for these purple tomatoes.** A nice, medium size variety, grows very smooth and uniform. Grow in clusters of three to five, somewhat flattened, dark red flesh, fine in texture and slightly acid. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.50.**

Livingston's Globe— True globe shaped, purplish red, solid meated, fine flavored tomato with few seeds. Has been a popular sort for fifteen years. Plants are large, rather upright in growth. vigorous and somewhat resistant to wilt. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 45c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.50.**

(S) Stark Strain Spark's Earliana Tomato— Earliest and best of extremely early tomatoes. Solid fleshed and as good for shipping as the medium-season and late varieties. Plant is compact, rather dwarf, and **extremely prolific,** setting fruit freely in center, producing immense crops. Uniform size, averaging around two and one-half inches in diameter, fleshy, solid, good shipper, **fiery red in color, of fine flavor. For an extremely early variety nothing surpasses Earliana.** Hardy and can be set out early. The seed we offer is result of years of selection and growers will find this strain most satisfactory. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.50.**

(S) Bonny Best— Has gained sensational popularity last few years. **Now recognized as one of best.** Intensely flaming scarlet, clear to center tomato—no green core. Flesh solid, meaty, slightly acid, delightful quality. One of best main crop varieties—for home canning, catsup, chili sauce and slicing. Ripens about a week later than Spark's Earliana and John Baer but **vines bear continuously throughout entire season. Does not crack,** few seeds. Bears cluster of 3 to 5. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb. $4.00.**

(S) June Pink— Vigorous spreading growth. Fruit large and flattened, uniform size, smooth, purplish red, ripens early—about same season as Earliana—**produces immense crops.** As an **extremely early,** pink variety it stands easily at the head of list. **Flavor is rich, pleasant and peculiarly unlike most tomatoes.** Bears early and continues to ripen fruit in great abundance until frost. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.50; lb., $5.00.**

Chalk's Early Jewel— Ripens just few days later than Earliana, fruit holds up well in size until very last, producing immense crops of large, smooth, round, solid meated, bright, clear scarlet fruit with few seeds. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

Burpee's Matchless— Vines strong in growth, vigorous and thrifty. Large, rich **red,** very smooth, remarkably solid, free from core and finest flavor. **Vines carry wonderful crops until frost. Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.50; lb., $5.00.**

(S) Yellow Pear— Small, bright yellow, pear-shaped tomato, **favorite for preserving** and making fancy pickles and salads. Richly flavored, keeps for long time after removing from vine. Tremendously productive through a long season. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c.**

Red Pear— Bright red, pear-shaped, small fruited tomato. **Flavor is rich** and very distinctive. Once tasted is never forgotten. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c.**

Peach— **Very desirable** pink tomato peach shaped. Thin skinned, tender fleshed and good flavor. Used for preserving. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c.**

Red Cherry— Small, bright scarlet, round, **borne in great clusters.** Ideal for **pickling and preserving.** Easily grown, vine vigorous, bear big crops, delicious flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c.**

Dwarf Stone— **Immense size** for a dwarf kind, often 4 in. across. Bright scarlet, very firm, smooth, solid fleshed, no hard core, quality very best. Produces clusters of 3 to 5. Plant dwarf growth. Bears immense crops. Ripens evenly, **does not crack. Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.50; lb., $4.00.**

(S) Stone— A grand slicing, cooking, canning tomato. General favorite with truckers, canners and home gardeners. Immense size, round, smooth, regular, solid fleshed, bright deep scarlet in color, and **ripens evenly to the stem.** One of best main crop varieties and one of the most beautiful tomatoes at any season. Plant one of strongest, most vigorous growers and bears great crops wonderful tomatoes. Has color, size, quality, quantity and ability to travel to distant markets and at the end of the journey to be fresh, plump and with unimpaired quality. **The seeds we offer are from a carefully chosen stock, superior to much that is offered and can be planted with absolute confidence. Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.00.**

True Giant Ponderosa — Stark Strain

Spark's Earliana Tomato

Stone Tomato

Even a Little Garden Will Yield a Bountiful Supply of Cabbages

The Cabbage That Defies "Yellows"

Ⓢ Yellows Resistant Cabbage— One of the most serious diseases of the Cabbage crop is known as **"Yellows."** It is caused by a soil-infesting organism which is able to maintain an existence in connection with the other organic matter in the soil in the absence of a cabbage crop, and has been known to survive a period of 18 years and again attack cabbage when planted in that field. This characteristic makes crop rotation of little value in the control of the disease.

Plant breeders at the Wisconsin Experiment Station have approached the problem from another side and by continued selection have developed two varieties of cabbage which are remarkably resistant to this disease, which occurs in many sections where cabbage is grown as a field crop, and is present in many home gardens.

The first of these varieties was named **Wisconsin Hollander** and is a large growing late variety well adapted to growing for winter use or storage. Another variety is **Wisconsin All-Seasons**—practically the same in season and habit of growth as the well known and widely planted All-Seasons which has been a standard in many sections of the country. We wish to emphasize the fact that where **"Yellows"** is present in field or garden the **only control** measure now available is the planting of one or both of these **Resistant varieties.**

Wisconsin Hollander— **Big pkt., 15c; ½ oz., $1.00; oz., $1.50; ¼ lb., $4.00.**

Wisconsin All-Seasons— **Big pkt., 25c; ½ oz., $1.50; oz., $2.50.**

Ⓢ Chinese Cabbage (Celery Cabbage)

The Chinese cabbage resembles lettuce in growth and can be served as salad like lettuce, or can be used in slaw. Some prefer it to cabbage when cooked. It is quite hardy and is not hurt by light frosts. For early use Chinese Cabbage should be sown in the hotbed in February or March and transplanted to the open ground when the weather is suitable. For late use sow the seed in July or August. Can not be grown successfully in hot weather as it has a tendency to run to seed. Sow in drills eighteen inches apart and thin to eight or ten inches apart in the row. This plant luxuriates in rich soil and responds to liberal watering in dry weather.

Pe Tsai—This is a splendid growing Chinese cabbage and has been grown in this country for a good many years, being the first variety introduced. It makes a much larger, longer head than Wong Bok, but matures just a little bit later. It is extremely tender and has a delightful, mild cabbage flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.00.**

Wong Bok—This variety is especially desirable, as it is earlier, maturing about a week before Pe Tsai, if planted at the same time. The head is shorter and more compact. These varieties furnish a source of "greens" for late summer and early fall equal in quality to the finest head lettuce. We have had mature heads of Wong Bok in our Trial Grounds in **fifty days** after sowing the seed. **Big pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., $1.00; lb., $3.00.**

Ⓢ Large Red Drumhead or Red Dutch— The widely known richly colored, standard cabbage of its type—a grand second early variety, and **one of the very best of the red cabbages**—the color extending to the center. The heads are large, round, solid, long stem, and are valuable on the market and for pickling. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.50.**

"Stark Seeds certainly are fine. I got about 20 bushels of tomatoes from your tomato seed and your cabbage also were splendid. One head of my cabbage weighed nearly 30 pounds."—T. Basinger, Connellsville, Pa.

Burpee's Surehead—This is an exceptionally fine late cabbage of the Flat Dutch type, but with the outer leaves of more upright growth. The heads are large, round, flattened at the top, solid, of **excellent quality,** keep well and ship well. One of the reliable and dependable main crop or late cabbages for northern sections, being thoroughly hardy and is a sure header. The plant is rather upright, with many outer leaves which are crimped and distinctly frilled; stem rather short. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $3.50.**

Savoy (*Perfection Drumhead*)—Savoy Cabbage has crimped leaves and is more tender, of milder and sweeter flavor than the smooth leaved sorts; their flavor is much improved and the sweetness increased after being frosted.

They equal Cauliflower in quality and are a good substitute for it where this vegetable cannot be grown. The Savoy Cabbage is a great favorite with the private gardener because of their fine flavor and superiority for salads.

The best of the Savoy Cabbages and the best keeper. The head is round and compact, with deep green, crumpled leaves, and it blanches to perfection. It is tender, mild and sweet. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $3.50.**

Ⓢ Copenhagen Market— Quite an early variety, rather round head, almost globe shaped. It is ready for use just after Large Wakefield. The heads are round, heavy and solid and of **excellent table quality;** very few outer leaves. The plants are short stemmed, the leaves are light green, rather small and always tightly folded, the head forming very close to the ground. **Great care has been taken by the growers of this strain** and we believe it to be as uniform for type as any stock to be obtained. Many of the large cabbage growers use this variety altogether. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

Every garden should have at least a dozen Red Dutch cabbages. They are great for pickling and make a handsome salad or slaw.

"For several years I have been ordering seeds from this house and that house all over the country and never had what I could call good results. But since starting to use Stark Seeds have never missed having a good garden."—A. L. Foubert, Washington, La.

This Sign Ⓢ Means Best Varieties

Pe-Tsai Chinese Celery Cabbage

"We sent for some of your seed and found that the quality of seed and quantity in your Stark Seed packets is very liberal. Parsley did wonderfully for me and your Swiss Chard is now 2½ feet tall. I tried out some Chinese Cabbage and it did fine too. Every seed of the Self-Blanching Celery grew."—John H. Schlachter, Gillespie, Ill.

Copenhagen Market Cabbage

Dodge High Vegetable Prices! Raise All the Cabbage You Need

Cabbage is easily grown and in any reasonably good soil. However, a heavy, loose, rich loam is most suitable. Start the plants in hot beds and put them out in the garden as soon as danger of freezing is over. Plant them 12 to 18 inches apart in rows 3 ft. apart for best results. Late autumn and winter varieties may be sown from the middle to the last of spring in the open ground, transplanting them when 4 or 5 inches high. Thorough cultivation should be given at all times and if the weather is too dry, irrigate if possible.

The green worm, the worst enemy of the cabbage, can be controlled by using Hammond's Slug Shot which is offered on another page. The varieties we list have been carefully selected from the long list of known kinds and we offer the sorts that we consider the best of their type and season. Our cabbage seed is absolutely dependable, from carefully selected stock, by the best American and European growers and can be planted with every assurance.

(S) Burpee's Allhead Early—This variety is of the flat type of head. It is remarkably solid and grows very uniform in size. It has very few spreading leaves and can be grown closer than many varieties because of this. We recommend it as the best second-early, home and market garden variety. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 90c; lb., $2.75.**

Large Wakefield or Charleston—Matures a few days later than Early Jersey Wakefield and produces slightly larger heads. The market gardener is planting this variety largely as it has many good points. It is similar in many respects to the Early Jersey Wakefield. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $3.50.**

Enkhuizen Glory—Ready just a little later than All Head Early; keeps well when stored. Largely grown for winter and for markets. Produces round or ball-like heads, very compact and solid, weighing six to eight pounds. Has compact outer leaves, thus permitting very close planting, which means increased yield. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.00.**

Early Winningstadt—A leader among second earlys. Produces solid, compact heads, pointed in shape, medium size, good quality and keep well. It resists cold, wet weather and insect pests to a marked degree. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $2.75.**

(S) Golden Acre—Our Strain of this **remarkably early cabbage** was secured by years of painstaking selection and rejection.

Wonderfully early—of the Copenhagen type, but **much earlier than Copenhagen** (fully 8 days earlier). This extra earliness **assures** higher prices for the market gardener—and **a more tender, more crisp, and better flavored cabbage for the table.**

The heads do not average as large as Copenhagen, but that is an advantage in an early cabbage. Many housewives do not want large headed cabbage. The Golden Acre heads are very solid and heavy, round, with somewhat lighter green leaves tightly folded. Texture is crisp and fine and **the flavor and quality excellent.** The small outer leaves permit close planting—a distinct advantage.

Our stock of this Strain is limited—Order Early.

Big pkt., 25c; ½-oz., $1.25; oz., $2.00; ¼-lb., $7.50. Postpaid.

One Cabbage Head Weighed 30 Pounds—T. Basinger, Connellsville, Penna. writes:—"One head of my cabbage raised from Stark Seed weighed nearly 30 pounds."

(S) Stark's True Danish Ballhead—A medium sized, round, **solid headed** variety that is probably the most popular and largely grown cabbage for winter markets. Noted for its **firm solid head and splendid keeping qualities**—remain in finest condition when buried through the winter and come out in perfect shape in the spring. It adapts itself to practically all soils and is one variety that can always be depended upon to produce good sized heads if the season is at all favorable. The plants are vigorous, compact with stems of medium length, are extremely hardy and stand dry weather well. Our selected stock of this variety is unexcelled. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.40; lb., $4.00.**

(S) Succession—One of best mid-season cabbages. Follows Copenhagen Market in season. For home garden as well as market furnishes big supply of tender, crisp, finely-flavored cabbage. By late planting to mature in fall, also suitable for winter storage. Rather compact in growth habit. Heads are large and uniform size. **Big pkt., 10c; ½ oz., 25c; oz., 40c; ¼ lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

Early Jersey Wakefield Cabbage

(S) Early Jersey Wakefield—The standard, first early, pyramidal head cabbage. The outer leaves ar thick and heavy, and the head is firm and solid; a dependable header, is very hardy, resisting cold and giving good results, even if conditions are not just right. It is a well known variety, popular in the home gardens of the country and on the markets. A great, well known, early variety, and no better sort has yet been discovered. Begins to mature extremely early and lasts for several weeks. For extra early heads sow the seed in the fall, carrying the young plants through the winter in the cold-frame. Transplant to the open ground as soon as safe in the spring. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼-lb., $1.20; lb., $3.50.**

"Stark Seeds gave me entire satisfaction, especially the Danish Ballhead cabbage and Yellow Ponderosa tomato." Mrs. Martha Rainey, Platte Rock, Ark.

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

Burpee's All-Head Early Cabbage

Raise Plenty to Eat and Lots to "Can"

Mammoth White Cory—Mammoth White Cory is a sugar corn that never disappoints anyone. We recommend it for a good early variety. The good sized ears mature early, and are seven to eight inches long, with twelve rows of large kernels to the ear, the cob and grains are white, and this whiteness is retained after cooking. Quality is delicious and the first of all the real sugar corns to mature. Comes in at a time when it is appreciated and there is a demand for all that can be grown. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.60. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

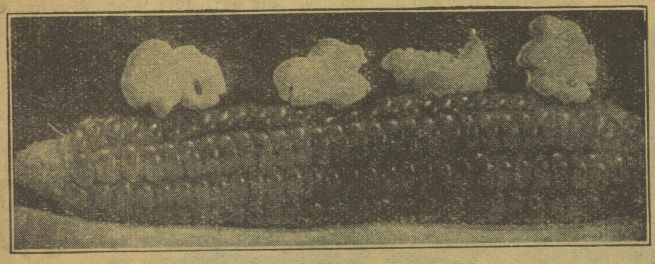
Ⓢ Howling Mob—In growth and bearing, Howling Mob is everytning the gardener could wish. It is in our judgment, the best and most satisfactory of all the second early maturing, large-eared varieties, has the good table qualities of the later kinds and is the first white sugar corn of high quality to mature. The stalks are strong, vigorous, about five feet in height, the ears eight to nine inches long with twelve to fourteen rows of corn to the ear, and are generally borne two to the stalk. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.** **See Page Opp. P. 24.**

Kendel's Early Giant—This is what we term a second early sort, producing remarkably large ears and ripening just after the extremely early kinds. The ears are about 8 or 9 inches long, contain twelve rows of kernels, and the flavor is rich and sugary. A good grower and a good producer. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.60. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Ⓢ Country Gentleman—The ear is of medium size and the long, plump kernels are not in rows as most sorts, but are placed irregular on the small cob and are so tender and milky they almost melt in your mouth. The quality is very fine, and many people grow it for their main crop. It is an ideal sort for the small home garden. It is also the leading favorite in many markets and a good variety for canning and is largely grown on contract for that purpose. The ears, which are often borne four to the stalk, are covered with heavy husks which help to keep the corn in good condition and to retain its delicious flavor and tenderness longer than other varieties after removing from the stalk. For the table, no other variety can hardly compare with it and for more than 25 years, it has maintained its infallible reputation for productiveness and quality. **Big pkt., 15c; lb., 55c; 5 lbs., $2.50. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

White Evergreen—A beautiful, white, large-eared variety, coming in several days earlier than Stowell's Evergreen. The grain is pure white, sugary and closely fit on the cob and is in edible condition for a long time. It is an ideal corn for the home garden and for canning, retaining its whiteness after cooking. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Pop Corn



Stark's Blue Snow Pop Corn (⅓ Size)

Ⓢ Stark's Blue-Snow Pop Corn—A new pop-corn of wonderful value. Has become a great favorite. Ears 6 to 7 inches long and 8 to 10 rowed. Unlike other kinds, it is in prime condition for popping a few weeks after harvested. Bluish black in color—but when popped is snowy white and practically hull-less. The finest corn for popping we have ever seen. **Pkt., 15c; lb., 50c; Postpaid. By express, 5 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Australian Hulless—A dwarf-growing corn, heavy yielder, attractive ears, peculiar in form, being nearly as thick as long. Kernels similar to best strains of White Rice, only longer, slimmer and pearly white in color. Wonderful for popping quality, fine flavor and absence of hull or shell. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 35c, 5 lb., $1.25 postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Queen's Golden—Makes large stalks five to six feet high, each bearing two or three large ears. Very productive. Pops out a large crisp white kernel. **Pkt., 10c; lb., 35c; 5 lbs., $1.50 postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Ⓢ White Rice—A pure white corn, producing a medium sized ear with long pointed kernels. A very popular commercial kind. **Pkt., 10c; lb., 35c; 5 lbs., $1.50 postpaid. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Country Gentleman Sugar Corn

Mammoth White Cory

Ⓢ Means EXTRA GOOD Variety

"All the Stark Seeds I got last year were the finest I ever had. Every variety proved splendidly despite the fact that my soil is very poor and had little or no fertilizer. Had specially good success with your Sugar Corn, Cauliflower, Brussel's Sprouts, tomatoes, lettuce and celery."—Fred E. Holz, Milwaukee, Wisc.

Treat Yourself to Fresh Sugar Corn All Summer

Stowell's Evergreen Sugar Corn

Delicious Sugar Corn every day from the time the quickest maturing variety is ready to use until frost—that should be the plan of every home garden grower. Sugar corn loses its sweetness rapidly after being pulled from the stalk, and to have it at its best it should be picked from the garden and prepared immediately for the table. This is possible only when grown in your own garden. Even the small garden has room for two or three rows of sugar corn of some good variety like Golden Bantam and we really believe that nothing else from the garden brings as much real satisfaction. Too many farmers depend on their field corn for their roasting ears; they have the land, the facilities for growing and know just how to grow it, and every farm garden should have a liberal space given over to sugar corn.

Stowell's Evergreen— Introduced nearly sixty years ago and is today probably the **best known,** most popular sugar corn. It has more good points to its credit, has fewer faults than any other variety, and is the **standard sugar corn** for the home table and for the markets of the nation. The stalks grow 7 feet high, with ears about 8 inches long. No corn is sweeter or better and it is the ideal canning variety. Truck gardeners throughout the country prefer Stowell's Evergreen. Our strain of this variety is an improvement over the old strain—uniformly deep grain, small cob and high quality. **Pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Black Mexican—Mid-season variety, maturing a little after Howling Mob. In best condition and of highest quality for use when grains are white with a few showing bluish. Many say it is the finest-flavored corn of all. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Extra Early Adams—This is not a Sugar Corn, but rather a hardy early kind of field-corn, used by most gardeners for their first roasting ears, and the kernels are tender, milky and sweet flavored. **Can be planted much earlier than the Sugar Corn;** produces stalks about four feet high, ears short and chunky, usually 12 or 14 rowed and protected by stout, heavy husks which come well out over the tip of the ear. Will stand growing closer than other varieties. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 35c; 5 lbs., $1.25. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Golden Giant— The ears are large and it is one of the most delicious yellow varieties. It is claimed to be the result of a cross between Golden Bantam and Howling Mob, and it is certain that Golden Giant has the good qualities of both parents. It possesses the beautiful golden color and fine flavor of the one and size of ear and quality of the other. For those who desire a yellow corn it makes a fine sort to follow Golden Bantam. **Big pkt., 15c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express, 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Early Minnesota—An old variety that is still a favorite and there are no early sorts that are better producers—a standard early sort that is still recognized as one of the extra good kinds of this type and season. It grows about six feet high, produces ears about eight inches long with eight to ten rows of broad, tender and sweet flavored kernels. An A-1 variety for the market gardener or for private garden. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.60. By express 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Crosby's Early—This very desirable standard second early variety produces an ear from six to seven inches long, the kernels of which are very white, **sweet, tender and of delicious quality.** The stalks are from four to five feet tall. It is largely grown for the big canners and is equally desirable for the home garden. It matures just after Early Minnesota. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.60. By express 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Stark's Strain of Golden Bantam—This is the ideal early, golden yellow sugar corn, a type that has been in cultivation for several years, and that still holds its own as a top-notch variety. The ears run 6 to 7 inches long, have eight rows of grains and **has the highest table quality** of any yellow sugar corn and is, we believe, **the most popular variety grown,** probably having a larger actual sugar content than any other sugar corn. The plants do not grow over four or five feet high and generally produce two ears to the stalk. It is extra early, very hardy and can be planted a little earlier than most sugar corn. For the home use and for the market gardeners nothing surpasses this variety. **The seed we offer is from a carefully selected strain** and is superior to much that is offered under this old and popular name. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

"We found Stark's Strain of Golden Bantam the best sugar corn we ever raised."—A. L. Rose, Tea Ticket, Mass.

"You should have seen the wonderful corn I raised from Stark's Strain of Golden Bantam seed this year."—Mrs. Wm. Bates, Danbury, Conn.

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

Stark's Strain Golden Bantam Sugar Corn

Pick the "Pick" of the Best Cucumbers

(S) London Long Green—A standard variety running about twelve inches in length. Of excellent quality and a favorite with all housewives for slicing and making pickles; slender, more or less warted, tapering to the stem. The seeds we offer are of superior stock of this variety. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

(S) Arlington White Spine—Another extra good variety of the White Spine family. It is a midseason variety of medium size—running about seven inches long, and is a favorite with market gardeners as well as with home garden planters. It is glossy, dark, firm fleshed, very tender and is delicious in quality. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Early Green Cluster—This is a short, slender, pale green cucumber that was named because of its habit of producing its fruit in clusters near the center of the plant. It is practically an ever-bearer, as it will continue in bearing during a long season if the fruits are gathered regularly; a very satisfactory sort for pickles and for slicing. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c, lb., $1.25.**

(S) White Wonder—Something different in Cucumbers and variety that is worthy a place in every garden. The fruits are of good size, averaging 8 to 10 inches long and unlike other varieties it is an attractive snow-white color, makes an attractive appearance sliced or in salad. The flesh is firm and crisp, remaining in eatable condition longer than most sorts. **Pkt. 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

Stays Green—Earliest of White Spine type. Has remarkable quality of keeping a good color longer than any other variety. Average 7 or 8 inches long, and of fine quality. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., $2.75.**

London Long Green Cucumber

Extra Early Green Prolific—(*Boston Pickling*)—A variety that produces tremendous crops. The fruit is of medium size—averaging from four to five inches in length, is just the size the housewife wants for pickles, and it has splendid quality for slicing. **The vines will continue to bear throughout the season if the fruits are picked as soon as they are large enough to use. Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Arlington White Spine Cucumber

(S) Early Fortune—This early cucumber is recommended as one of the very best. It is early, produces tremendous crops and brings big money in the markets; the fruit is a rich, dark green, has white flesh and very few seeds, grows from eight to ten inches long, ships well and holds up well. **Thoroughly satisfactory for both the home and market gardeners. Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Everbearing—This is a very early and extremely productive variety that continues in bearing until stopped by frost. The fruit is dark green, four to five inches long, solid fleshed, few seeds, of extra good quality and is largely used for pickling. This all-season sort is a wonder for the home garden, for it is a real all-purpose cucumber, as in addition to its great value for pickles, it is also one of the most desirable kinds for slicing and salads. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Japanese Climbing—A vigorous variety that can be trained on trellises, fences, or stakes and used for screens. Fruit runs from ten to twelve inches in length and of excellent quality when sliced fresh for table use, for salads or for pickles. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

West India Gherkin—Fruit rather small, two or three inches in length and covered with spines; it is used for pickles only and should be taken off while quite young. The vine is tremendously productive. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.50.**

(S) Davis Perfect—**One of the very finest cucumbers—fresh, crisp, tender,** delightful in quality, long and slender in shape, reaching twelve inches in length. It matures early, and retains its glossy, rich, dark green color for a long time, which makes it ideal for shipping; has very few seeds and they are small, and it is the perfect sort for slicing and eating fresh. **It has made a great reputation both for forcing and out-door growing. Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**

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$40.00 From One 10c Packet

"The cucumber seed I got from you last year certainly surprised me. I planted only 1 ten cent package and made $40.00 from my cucumbers. I had the first fresh cucumbers on the market in this section. They were from 9 to 14½ inches long and not a bitter cucumber in the lot. Your seed certainly gave me the very best results I ever had from anyone's seed."
—A. E. Foote, Caledonia, Wisc.

Davis Perfect Cucumber Sliced on Plate

This Sign → Ⓢ Means EXTRA GOOD Variety

Peppers A'Plenty in a Little Lot

Ⓢ Sunnybrook—Sweet pepper, 2 to 3 in. across—nearly round, 2 to 2½ in. deep. Grow upright, 30 to 40 rich red peppers to plant. Firm flesh ¼ in. thick, remarkably sweet. Ripens little later than Neapolitan. **Big pkt., 25c; ½ oz., 80c; oz., $1.50; ¼ lb., $4.50.**

Ⓢ Harris Earliest—First early Sweet Pepper—produces everywhere. Can be grown North where other peppers will not ripen. Sweet, thick meat, fine flavor. Vigorous plant—but will not grow as lustily as later fruiting varieties. **Big pkt., 20c; ½ oz., 50c; oz., 80c; ¼ lb., $3.00.**

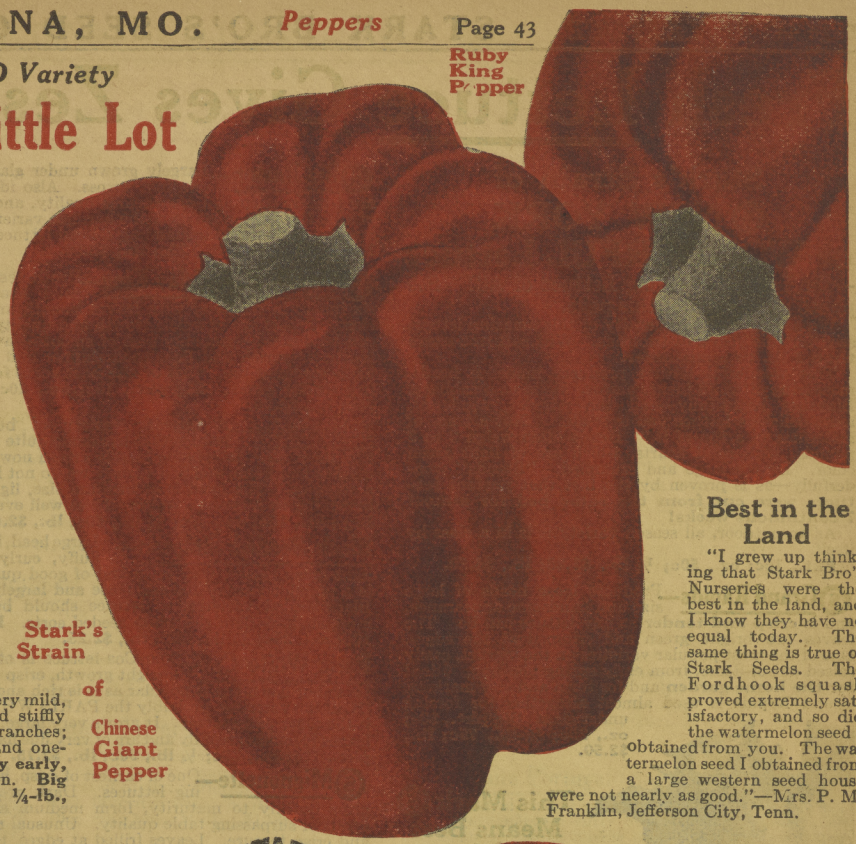
Ⓢ Chinese Giant—The **largest of the mild red peppers,** sells readily because of its magnificent appearance, the fruit running four and one-half inches in length and often four inches in diameter. Flesh is thick and it is a splendid red at maturity; plant is rather short, stocky in growth and is thoroughly satisfactory in the garden. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 40c; oz., 75c; ¼-lb., $2.00.**

Neapolitan Large Early—Extremely early, large fruited, mild, handsome light green until ripe when they change to a beautiful glowing red. Fruit measures four inches long and are very large. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.50.**

Golden Queen—Largest, best of Yellow Peppers—very desirable for home use. Average 5 to 7 in. long and 4 to 5 in. in diameter. **Very mild, pleasant flavor,** matures in 125 days. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $1.75.**

Ⓢ Bull Nose or Improved Large Bell—Large, grown for sweet pickles. The fruit is **large, thick meated,** brilliant red, of **mild flavor,** and largely used in salads. It bears satisfactorily. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.50.**

Sweet Upright—Rich scarlet, very mild, fruits produced stiffly upright and form at each fork of branches; about three inches long by two and one-half inches across. It is **extremely early,** tender skinned, and largely grown. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $1.75.**



Ruby King Pepper

Stark's Strain of Chinese Giant Pepper

Best in the Land

"I grew up thinking that Stark Bro's Nurseries were the best in the land, and I know they have no equal today. The same thing is true of Stark Seeds. The Fordhook squash proved extremely satisfactory, and so did the watermelon seed I obtained from you. The watermelon seed I obtained from a large western seed house were not nearly as good."—Mrs. P. M. Franklin, Jefferson City, Tenn.

Useful Gourds

The seed should be sown in good soil late in the spring, and they should have plenty of room as they often grow twenty to thirty feet. Very ornamental.

Dipper—Dipper shaped and makes a good light dipper. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Dishcloth or Luffa—Should be allowed to hang on the vines until well ripened and sponge like. Material can be taken out and dried, making a tough, natural sponge. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Nest Egg—Produces a gourd very much resembling a hen's egg and is often used as nest egg. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Sugar Trough—A thick shelled gourd, light but durable. Will hold six or eight quarts. With top cut off it makes a very nice container. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Hercules Club—A long club-like gourd that often measures from three to four feet long. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Calabash—An African importation which produces the gourd from which the famous Calabash pipes are made. The pipes are light and color nicely. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Fine Mixed—This mixture of seed is a combination of all kinds and will produce ornamental and useful gourds of different varieties. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.**

Pimiento—Mildest and one of best of all peppers. The variety used to make "Pimientos." Medium large fruit, uniform shape, smooth with thick flesh. Great favorite with gardeners because it **produces enormous yields.** Matures in 135 days. **Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 35c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $1.75.**

Long Red Cayenne—An old variety, bright red pods attaining the length of about four inches and tapering to a point; hot and pungent and largely used for pickling. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.50.**

Tabasco—A small pepper and **very hot.** Largely used for making sauce. Plant produces in enormous quantities, fruits one inch in length and a vivid scarlet. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 35c; oz., 60c.**

Ruby King—Dark green turning to bright red when ripe. Probably the most widely known and extensively grown of all mango peppers. Fruits about four inches long, flesh thick and mild. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 35c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $1.75.**

Bull Nose Pepper

Okra or Gumbo

Used largely for soups and stews. Should be gathered and eaten while the pods are tender. Sow the seed thickly in rich ground in late spring as soon as soil is warm.

Dwarf Green—An extra early variety. Short, deep green pods. Plants are low—easier to gather pods. Best when used young. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., $1.00.**

Ⓢ White Velvet—Pods round, smooth and attractive, very tender, finely flavored. We consider this the best. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼-lb., 30c; lb., $1.00**

White Velvet Okra

Best Seed Investment

"The $6.00 worth of Stark Seeds I bought last year proved the most profitable seed investment I ever made at any time from a seed catalog. I was especially well pleased with the very prompt filling of the order." — Jessie A. Zook, Joplin, Mo.

"Stark Seeds pleased me the most of any I ever planted."—Joe Frost, Burnham, Me.

Fresh Lettuce Gives Zest to Every Meal

Stark's Strain of Ⓢ NEW YORK or WONDERFUL Lettuce

—the Largest Heading Lettuce of All! See photo at bottom of this page.

We have a limited quantity of this amazing lettuce seed for this year's distribution. **Will sell not more than 1 lb. to a customer.**

This wonderful lettuce produces immense heads, measuring often 18 inches across. Solid as a cabbage. Blanches beautifully—and the crispest, tenderest, most delicious lettuce you ever ate. "Not a trace of bitterness in a ton of it." Heads often weigh 2 to 3 pounds, with solid hearts, which are of light green color. Leaves large and crumpled. "Stands" wonderfully—as is proven by the fact that **perfect lettuces were cut from the same bed for almost 7 continuous weeks!**

As an outdoor, all season variety it is in a class by itself.

Pkt., 15c; oz., 50c; ¼ lb., $1.25; lb., $4.50.

Ⓢ Grand Rapids—Produces loose heads of large size and handsome appearance, and is **crisp and tender** as any lettuce can be. The leaves are bright green and crimped at the edges. One of the most popular varieties on the market, easily raised out-of-doors, from early spring planting. **Ideal for the home garden** and for town and city markets. Grand Rapids is used almost altogether for forcing under glass. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

This Mark Ⓢ Means Best Quality

Ⓢ Big Boston—**Largely grown under glass during winter as it produces large heads, which often measure one foot across. Also ideal out-of-doors variety. Heads large, compact and the leaves are tender, crisp and of delicious quality, and taking it, one variety with another, we believe it about the best of all. Big Boston is one of the hardiest varieties of lettuce and is used for out-door winter-culture in the southern states. In markets demanding a head lettuce, more Big Boston is sold than any other variety. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

Ⓢ Stark's Early May King—Produces round, solid head about six inches in diameter with leaves smooth and folded close. Plants are of quick growth and quality all that can be desired—probably best of smooth-leaved early kinds; very rich and fine, good shipper and also valuable for home use. **One of the best sorts for growing under glass. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.00.**

Salamander—A popular variety of butterhead lettuce that has made quite a reputation for itself. It is being largely grown now for both market and home and is a variety we do not know has a superior. The head is of medium size, light green, blanching to a creamy white. Does well everywhere. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**

Black Seeded Simpson—Large head, loose and fluffy, curly, tender, light green leaves, very crisp and of good quality. It is a popular variety for early use and largely grown. Black seeded varieties of lettuce should be planted more shallow than the white seeded sorts. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 80c; lb., $2.25.**

Paris White Cos—The Cos lettuce **is of distinct,** upright growth, **crisp and mild.** Its flavor has made it popular as it is rich and buttery. Of all the varieties, probably the PARIS WHITE COS is the most satisfactory. It grows very large, the inner leaves blanching readily and are of very fine flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 90c; lb., $2.75.**

Ⓢ Mignonette—One of earliest of crisp, hard-heading lettuces. Dark green plants grow quickly to maturity, form medium sized hard heads of surpassing table quality. Unusual rich flavor and crisp texture. Leaves frilled at edges, tinged distinct reddish color. Plants compact. May be set more closely in row than those of later varieties. **Big pkg., 15c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $2.00.**

"Your strain of **Big Boston Lettuce** and **Golden Bantam Sugar Corn** 'takes the cake'."—J. R. Barton, Harrisonburg, Va.

Black Seeded Tennis Ball—Forms close, hard head with very few outer leaves. Good forcing variety but largely grown in garden for table and market. One of very best in quality. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.00.**

"For several years I have been ordering seeds from this house and that house all over the country and never had what I could call good results. But, since starting to use Stark Seeds have never failed to get good crops."—I. H. Hendricksen, Minorqua, N. H.

Ⓢ California Cream Butter—Another butterhead variety for open ground. Heads large, very solid, and interior leaves blanch to creamy white. Extensively planted, especially in southern states for shipping to northern markets in winter. Hardy, succeeds well everywhere and **is especially recommended for the home garden.** Recognized as the **best buttery flavored variety. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 80c; lb., $2.25.**

Stark Strain Iceberg—Forms rather solid head and is late in maturing. Quality good and crisp, firm and sweet. Outer leaves light green in color, curving toward center, which aids in the blanching of the heart. **Big pkt., 10c; oz.. 35c; ¼-lb., $1.00.**

Ⓢ Early Prizehead—Very attractive variety of loose heading type. Makes quick growth of bright green leaves, tinged with brownish red. Good flavor, crisp and tender. **Quite hardy, making good kind for early planting. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 90c; lb., $3.00.**

Hanson—Good head lettuce and among very largest of all curled leaf varieties. Dark green leaves outside; creamy white inside; heads very solid, beautifully blanched, crisp, mild and tender. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 80c; lb., $2.25.**

The Crop of Lettuce Seed Is Extremely Short This Year—ORDER EARLY

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Grand Rapids Forcing Lettuce

"Lettuce was Excellent!"

"Your Big Boston Lettuce and strain of John Baer tomato certainly were excellent. The watermelon and muskmelon seed produced as fine fruit as I have ever seen. Am very highly pleased."—Mrs. D. H. Webb, Canton, Ga.

New York or Wonderful Lettuce

Southport Red Globe Onion

Stark's Best Onion Selections

Prizetaker—A yellow, globe-shaped onion, of immense size—in fact the largest of them all. It is successfully grown everywhere, rich yellow skin, white flesh, sweet and tender. It is an all-purpose variety—the young bulbs in early summer and the ripened onion at all times, for it is such a good keeper that it may be used practically the whole year. **Successful in all sections. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 85c; lb., $2.25.**

Southport Yellow Globe—The most widely known and largely grown yellow onion, and is the variety that brings the big profits. A deep yellow skin, pure white flesh, mild flavor, of **immense size, globe shaped, yields tremendous crops and is one of the best keepers.** The favorite yellow onion of the big commercial onion growers. The seed we offer is from the most perfect bulbs. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.25.**

Southport White Globe—This is a **large, extra mild,** pure white onion with a thin skin and flesh that is firm and solid. No other onion will yield more bushels per acre, or will bring higher prices. One of the great commercial varieties, and also recommended for the home garden. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.00.**

Mammoth Silver King—Immense tender fleshed, white skinned, rather flat onion. Largely grown. Most agreeable flavor, matures early and probably largest of all flat varieties. Popular on markets, and favorite with housewives. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $3.00.**

Stark Improved Ohio Yellow Globe—Reliable, well-known, widely planted yellow onion—the standard variety in eastern markets. Probably more largely grown for winter use than any other sort. Even more globular in shape than Southport Yellow Globe, a little earlier, a splendid keeper, runs 2½ inches in diameter, golden yellow-brown or pale yellow skin, white flesh, crisp and mild. Ripen uniformly—a valuable characteristic to those who grow for market. Always command top prices. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 85c; lb., $2.50.**

Southport Red Globe—This is probably the **largest and heaviest yielder of the Southport varieties.** No other commercially grown onion is better or more satisfactory from a standpoint of profit, and it is unsurpassed for the home garden. It will average three to three and one-half inches in diameter, is globe shaped, with glossy red skin, white flesh, and is fine grained and tender. The Southport White, Red and Yellow Globes are the perfect market kinds. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 90c; lb., $2.75.**

Extra Early Red—This onion is of the type of the Old Red Weathersfield, but is much earlier and we prefer it and grow it instead. It **yields abundant crops,** keeps well, is close grained and **mild flavored.** Should be planted in all gardens where a good red onion is desired. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., 85c; lb., $2.00.**

White Portugal (Silver Skin)—Medium size rather flat shaped, white onion. Largely grown by market gardeners for early bunching. Our choice for the home garden during spring, summer and autumn. Other sorts are better for winter keeping. Fine for early season salads. Noted for mild and delightful flavor. A fine pickling variety. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 85c; lb., $2.50.**

White Barletta—An early-maturing variety much planted for bunch onions and for pickling. They may be also grown for sets and used the following spring to grow large onions. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

White Italian Tripoli—A very large pure white onion of mild and excellent flavor. Responds especially well to sowing in hot bed and transplanting to rich soil. Under good conditions the bulbs are often 4 inches across. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

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Prizetaker Onion →

Onion Sets—Grow Bunch Onions Quick

Onion sets are used to grow bunching onions for early summer home table or market. Allowed to stand, produce larger onions for winter use. Command high prices. Produced much quicker from sets than from seed. Permits growing of another crop on same land same year. Green onions from sets will be your first garden crop in the spring. One quart of sets will plant a fifty-foot row. Prices subject to change.

White Onion Sets (market gardener's favorite), **lb., 35c. By express 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Yellow Onion Sets (extensively used), **lb., 30c. By express 10 lbs. or more at 16c per lb.**

The two following varieties may be divided and planted again in the fall for early green onions next year.

White Multiplier (excellent quality, very early), **lb., 40c. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Potato Onion (early cropper), **lb., 40c. By express 10 lbs. or more at 24c per lb.**

Southport Yellow Globe Onions →

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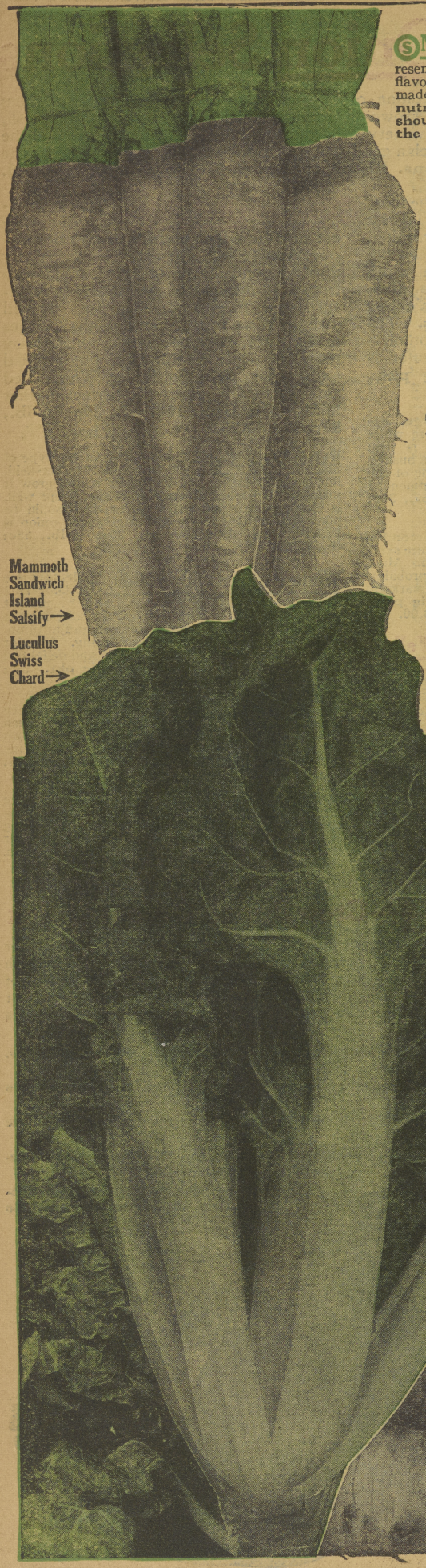

Salsify

(S) Mammoth Sandwich Island—Grows to a large size and resembles a good-sized parsnip; marvelous oyster flavor, great size, and ease with which it is produced has made it very popular. One of **the most delicious, nutritious and wholesome of vegetables and should be more generally grown for use during the winter when vegetables are so scarce.** Has the true oyster flavor and makes delightful substitute for them in soups, sliced and fried or served and eaten like asparagus. Medicinal properties are claimed for it and its use is recommended for various forms of indigestion. One ounce of seed will sow a 100 foot row; eight pounds are required for one acre. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.50; lb., $4.00.**

Artichokes

Green Globe—The standard artichoke and popular on the markets. Seed may be sown in hotbeds, transplanted and will be ready for use the same season. Seed sown later in open and transplanted in early summer will stand over winter but must be protected. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., $1.00.**

Chicory

Large Root or Coffee Chicory—Grows like carrot. When dried, roasted and added to coffee, lends strength, richness and flavor. Young leaves make fine spring salad. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.**

Celeriac

Giant Smooth Prague—Considered the best Celeriac, or Turnip-Root Celery, a root used in salads or for seasoning meats and flavoring soups. Can be boiled like parsnips or turnips. Has the true celery flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

Parsley

Hamburg—(Turnip rooted). The root is the portion used for flavoring soups, etc. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.00.**

Ruta-Baga

Large White—(Sweet Russian). Large, white sweet flavored Ruta-baga. Keeps well and popular for table use and stock feeding. Our choice of white ruta-bagas. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Improved Purple Top Yellow—Large size, smooth skin, yellow flesh, fine grained with good, sweet flavor. A good keeper, uniform shape and size and is the best of all ruta bagas. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Kohl-Rabi

(S) White Vienna—The best variety. Bulbs are medium size, white and of best quality. Makes delicious, cabbage-flavored dish. Should be more largely grown. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 75c.**

Herbs

Anise—Grown for leaves and seeds—seeds used medicinally, for cordials. Leaves used for garnishing. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Balm—Leaves fragrant lemon odor. Used for balm tea, in fevers. **Big pkt., 10c.**

(S) Sweet Basil—Leaves and tops of shoots used for seasoning and garnishing. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Caraway—Grown for its seeds, which are used in bread, cakes, etc. The leaves are also sometimes used in soups and also have some medicinal properties. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Coriander—Aromatic seeds used for flavoring. **Big pkt., 10c.**

(S) Dill—Seeds and leaves used for seasoning pickles. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c.**

Horehound—Leaves used for flavoring. Also tonic. **Big pkt., 10c.**

(S) Lavender—Leaves used for seasoning. Most largely used for its flowers in making perfumes. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Sweet Marjoram—Leaves used for flavoring. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Rosemary—Leaves used for flavoring meats, soups and medicinal purposes. **Big pkt., 10c.**

(S) Sage—Most largely used herb for seasoning and dressings. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Catnip—Cat-Mint)—Grown for bees and cats, also for seasoning. **Big pkt., 10c.**

Summer Savory—Dried stems, leaves and flowers used for seasoning. **Big pkt., 10c.**

SWISS-CHARD—Wonder Vegetable

(S) Lucullus—The most satisfactory variety for home or market use. Will attain height of about fifteen inches, broad stemmed and has beautiful yellowish-green leaves. **The outside leaves are used for greens while the large, white stalks may be used like asparagus and are fully as delicious.** Leaves are heavily crumpled and of fine flavor. This is the Swiss Chard best known among gardeners. So easily grown and produces such immense quantities of greens that everyone should plant it. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

PARSNIPS

(S) Guernsey—Long, smooth variety. Uniform shape and size, tender, sweet. A great producer, cooks evenly, easiest for cultivation. **Should be in every home garden. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 45c; lb., $1.00.**

Early Short Round—An early parsnip. Very fine flavor, roots not so large as Guernsey, easily dug. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.25.**

Guernsey Parsnip

TWO WONDERFUL NEW STARK MELONS

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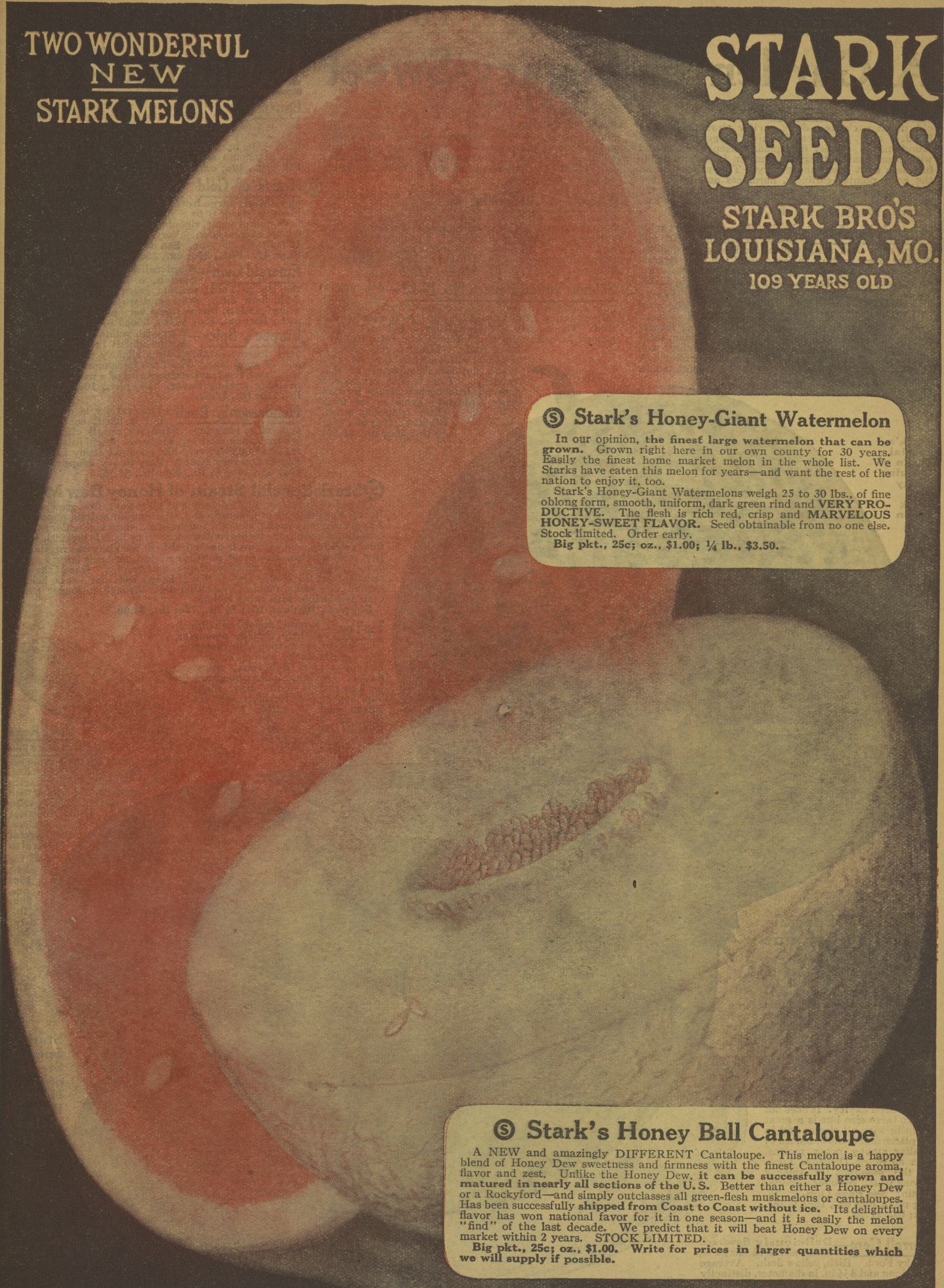


Stark's Honey-Giant Watermelon

In our opinion, **the finest large watermelon that can be grown.** Grown right here in our own county for 30 years. Easily the finest home market melon in the whole list. We Starks have eaten this melon for years—and want the rest of the nation to enjoy it, too.

Stark's Honey-Giant Watermelons weigh 25 to 30 lbs., of fine oblong form, smooth, uniform, dark green rind and **VERY PRODUCTIVE.** The flesh is rich red, crisp and **MARVELOUS HONEY-SWEET FLAVOR.** Seed obtainable from no one else. Stock limited. Order early.

Big pkt., 25c; oz., $1.00; ¼ lb., $3.50.

Stark's Honey Ball Cantaloupe

A NEW and amazingly DIFFERENT Cantaloupe. This melon is a happy blend of Honey Dew sweetness and firmness with the finest Cantaloupe aroma, flavor and zest. Unlike the Honey Dew, **it can be successfully grown and matured in nearly all sections of the U. S.** Better than either a Honey Dew or a Rockyford—and simply outclasses all green-flesh muskmelons or cantaloupes. Has been successfully **shipped from Coast to Coast without ice.** Its delightful flavor has won national favor for it in one season—and it is easily the melon "find" of the last decade. We predict that it will beat Honey Dew on every market within 2 years. STOCK LIMITED.

Big pkt., 25c; oz., $1.00. Write for prices in larger quantities which we will supply if possible.

A Garden of Sugary-Sweet Muskmelons!

Extra Early Hackensack—Ripens a week or ten days earlier than the old Hackensack, **ten days earlier than the Rocky Ford,** and is considerably larger. It is a round, melon of very fine quality, deeply ribbed and with prominent netting. No melon is more delightful; flesh light green and sugary. This melon has all the good points—earliness, hardiness and all of the ordinary bearing qualities. We believe it to be the largest of the extremely early muskmelons. **Big Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Burpee's Bay View—Fruit oblong, over twelve inches in length, broad and heavy ribs, flesh a light green and of good quality. **A very large melon,** in fact one of the very largest; considered one of the very best of the late maturing sorts. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Ⓢ Improved Osage Muskmelon—A large melon, oval with dark green skin, slightly ribbed, thick salmon tinted flesh, and with a **very alluring, spicy flavor.** If you want a good melon for the home garden, there are none that will surpass this sort. It also ships well and keeps well and brings good prices wherever offered. A popular melon in the north and Chicago markets handle a great many of them. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 65c; lb., $2.00.**

Ⓢ Honey Ball—**NEW** and happy blend of Honey Dew sweetness and firmness with Cantaloupe flavor and zest. A truly amazing hybrid melon, with **an indescribable flavor which has gained national popularity in one season!** This melon is "the find" of the last decade. **Big pkt., 25c; oz., $1.00** Limited supply of seed. Write for prices on larger quantities.

Ⓢ Golden Champlain—A recent notable Muskmelon introduction. Its remarkable habit is setting early crop fruit very near base of vines. **Often mature weeks before** all other varieties. A later setting of fruit continues during season. A third crop often matures. Superb quality—flavor almost as good as "Hearts of Gold." **Big pkt., 20c; oz., 80c; ¼ lb., $3.00; lb., $8.00.**

Salmon Tinted Pollock No. 10-25—An early and desirable melon with very small seed cavity and delicious, salmon-tinted flesh that shades to green close to the rind. The quality is **delightfully sweet** and it is a general favorite with all gardeners who cater to high-class trade. Many people prefer a melon of salmon-tinted flesh. In this event, nothing is superior to this variety. This is the cantaloupe **grown almost exclusively by the large Colorado growers** for their choice shipping stock. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Banana—An extra long melon, running from eighteen to twenty-four inches in length and seldom over four inches in diameter. The flesh is salmon colored, is very thick, and quality that we rank as very best. The name comes from the fact that it is shaped like a banana and there is a slight banana aroma. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.00.**

Ⓢ Hearts of Gold—Of all new Muskmelons, Hearts of Gold is fastest becoming popular. **Many large hotels now serving it exclusively.** Medium sized, 6 to 8 in. in diameter. Rich orange flesh, full of sugar, ripening clear to rind. Ripens 7 or 8 days ahead Osage. Very heavy cropper as many as 12 fruits on one vine. **See description and photo on Page 47.** **Pkt., 20c; oz., 35c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

Emerald Gem—**A splendid melon for the home garden,** coming in just ahead of the Rocky Ford; emerald green with salmon colored flesh, flesh thick, sweet, and **we recommend it for every garden, but is not a very good shipper. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Burpee's Spicy—A grayish yellow when the melon is ripe and it is marked with a very delicate, white netting, slightly oblong in shape and of good size. The flesh is salmon colored, very thick, **not the least stringy and of a most delicious, melting melon flavor. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

Henderson's Bush—This variety is not a freak, but a fixed, constant bush type of muskmelon. **Fine for small city gardens where space is at a premium.** Small in size but extra good quality, very like good old Jenny Lind, green fleshed and **very sweet. Very heavy cropper. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $1.75.**

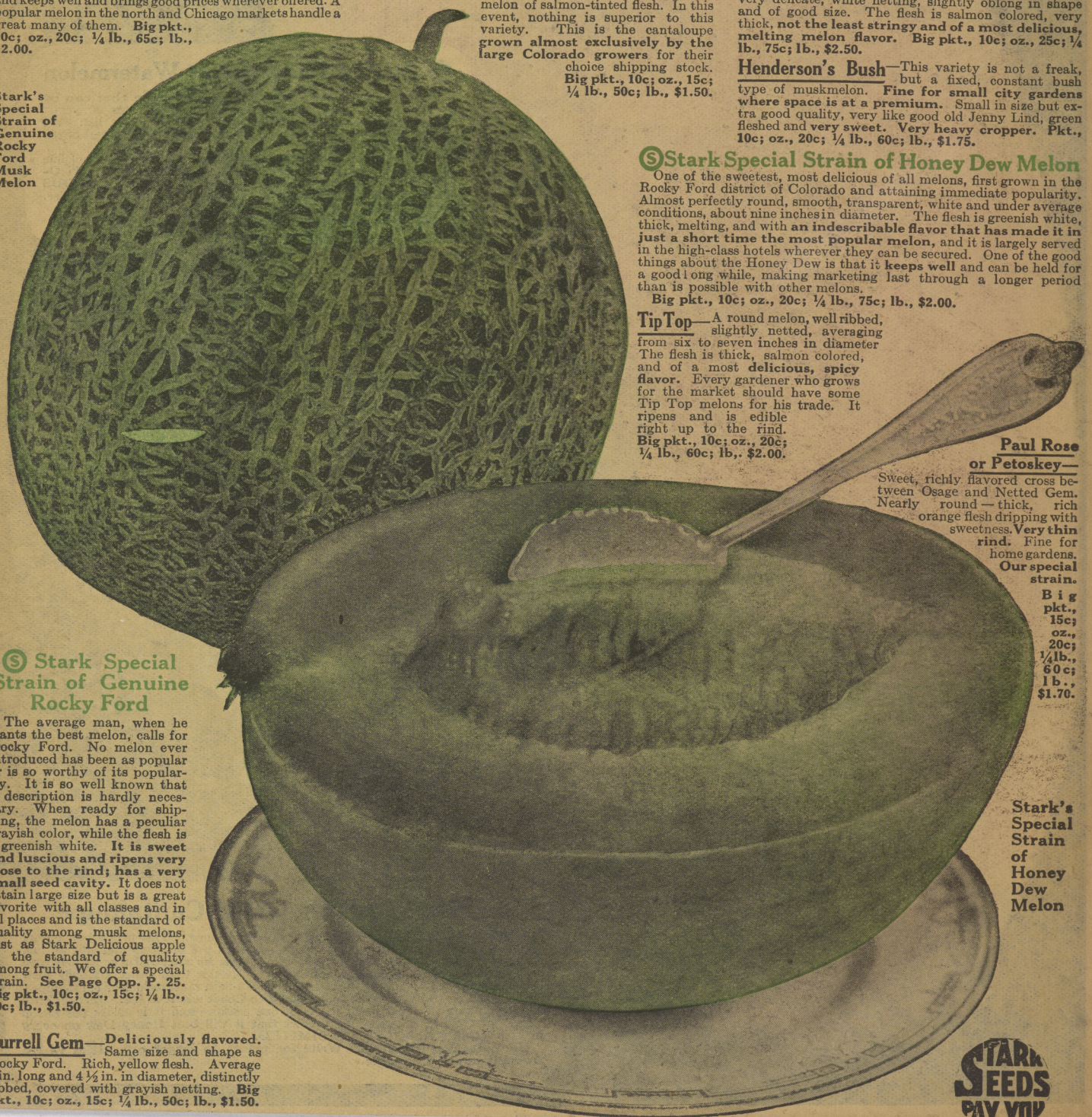
Ⓢ Stark Special Strain of Honey Dew Melon

One of the sweetest, most delicious of all melons, first grown in the Rocky Ford district of Colorado and attaining immediate popularity. Almost perfectly round, smooth, transparent, white and under average conditions, about nine inches in diameter. The flesh is greenish white, thick, melting, and with **an indescribable flavor that has made it in just a short time the most popular melon,** and it is largely served in the high-class hotels wherever they can be secured. One of the good things about the Honey Dew is that it **keeps well** and can be held for a good long while, making marketing last through a longer period than is possible with other melons.

Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.00.

Tip Top—A round melon, well ribbed, slightly netted, averaging from six to seven inches in diameter The flesh is thick, salmon colored, and of a most **delicious, spicy flavor.** Every gardener who grows for the market should have some Tip Top melons for his trade. It ripens and is edible right up to the rind. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**

Paul Rose or Petoskey—Sweet, richly flavored cross between Osage and Netted Gem. Nearly round—thick, rich orange flesh dripping with sweetness. **Very thin rind.** Fine for home gardens. **Our special strain. Big pkt., 15c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $1.70.**



Stark's Special Strain of Genuine Rocky Ford Musk Melon

Stark's Special Strain of Honey Dew Melon

Ⓢ Stark Special Strain of Genuine Rocky Ford

The average man, when he wants the best melon, calls for Rocky Ford. No melon ever introduced has been as popular or is so worthy of its popularity. It is so well known that a description is hardly necessary. When ready for shipping, the melon has a peculiar grayish color, while the flesh is a greenish white. **It is sweet and luscious and ripens very close to the rind; has a very small seed cavity.** It does not attain large size but is a great favorite with all classes and in all places and is the standard of quality among musk melons, just as Stark Delicious apple is the standard of quality among fruit. We offer a special strain. **See Page Opp. P. 25.** **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Burrell Gem—**Deliciously flavored.** Same size and shape as Rocky Ford. Rich, yellow flesh. Average 6 in. long and 4½ in. in diameter, distinctly ribbed, covered with grayish netting. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

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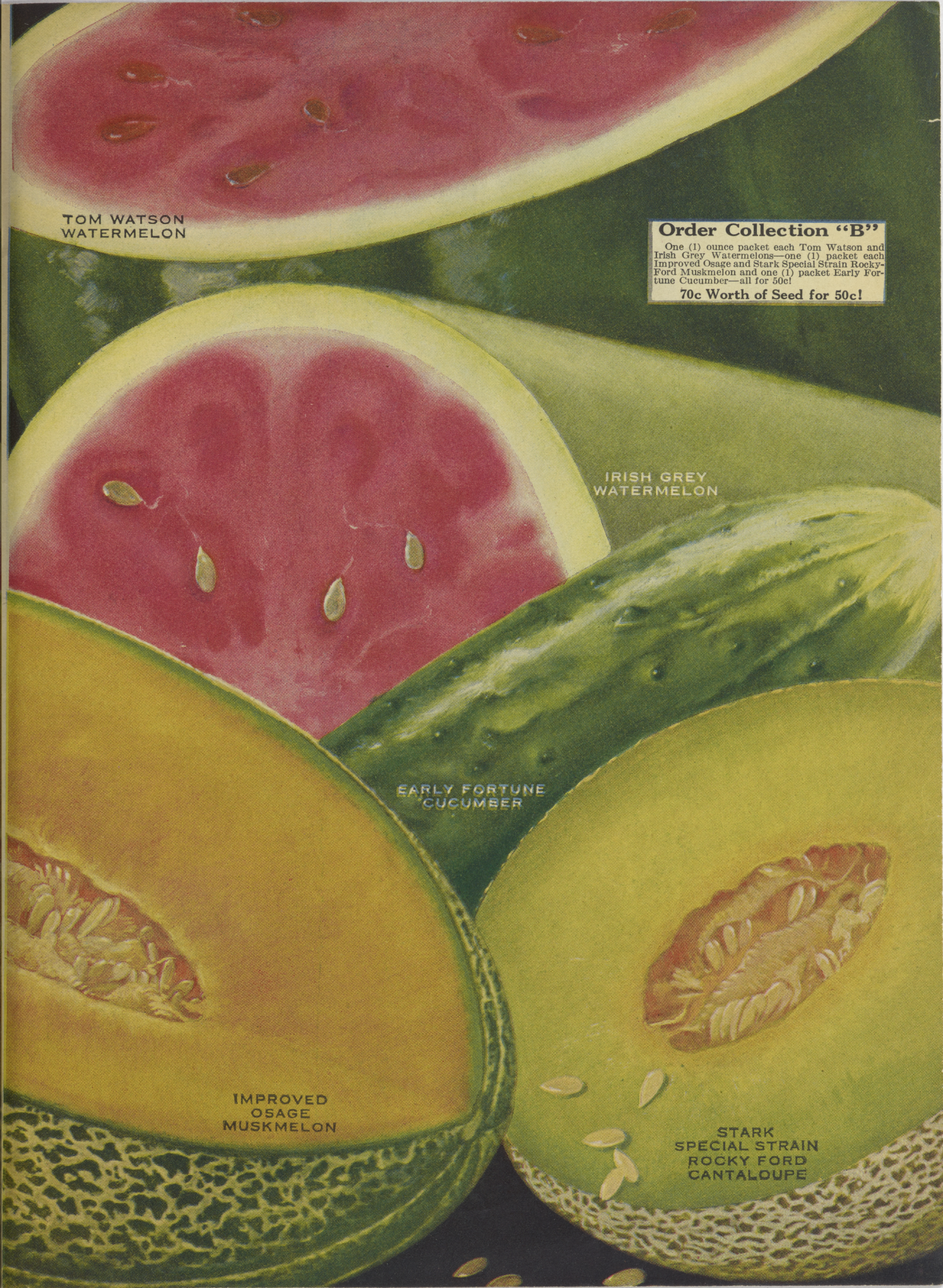

Order Collection "B"

One (1) ounce packet each Tom Watson and Irish Grey Watermelons—one (1) packet each Improved Osage and Stark Special Strain Rocky-Ford Muskmelon and one (1) packet Early Fortune Cucumber—all for 50c!

70c Worth of Seed for 50c!

Order Collection "A"

1 Packet each of White Spencer, Glory, Warrior, R. F. Felton, Wedgwood and King Edward Sweet Peas—Dahlia-Flowered and Picotee Zinnias and Purple, White and Pink Giant Comet Asters—11 Big Pkts. in all.—Sent postpaid.

$1.20 Worth of Flower Seeds 75cts.

NEW!—The Largest Sugar-Sweet Melon Grown!

Fordhook Early—A round-oblong, light and dark green mottled watermelon that is **extremely early** and of **very fine quality.** The rind is thin, the skin tough, is a good shipper, and for an early melon it is one of the very best. The flesh is bright red and delicious in quality. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Baby Delight—A delicious, small watermelon, weight only from four to six pounds; dark green with a rich, red, solid flesh and of very highest quality. **No vine will bear a greater number of melons than this one.** Fine for the home garden; it is not large, but it has quality. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.50.**

Cole's Early—**One of the earliest** and none of its season is better. It is of medium size, nearly round, dark green rind with a slight striping of a lighter shade; deep pink flesh. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Georgia Rattlesnake (*Striped Gypsy*)—A good sized watermelon of oblong shape that has excellent quality. This is an old-time, long known melon, and its popularity has not decreased. The rind is mottled, the flesh is dark red and it is **sweet and good.** It is an attractive melon, ships well and has a good reputation on all markets. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Giant of Giants—By all odds the largest watermelon on our list. The melons from which seed was taken for growing the special Strain of seed we offer here **weighed from 90 to 114 lbs.** "Put one over" on your neighbors next fall at the County Fair by raising some of these Giants! With the enormous size goes also a luscious eating quality which develops at maturity. Flesh is a fine deep red in color. Do not pass this by without a trial. **Big pkt., 25c; oz., $2.00. Supply Limited, Order Early.**

Tom Watson—This is one of the standard commercial shipping melons, especially grown by southern growers. **This name has become synonymous with good watermelons.** One of the largest melons on the market. It is a long melon, but has more thickness than many of the long varieties. While the rind is thin, it is tough and ships perfectly. We recommend it for home use and for the near-by and distant markets—an all purpose melon. The deep, red flesh extends close up to the rind and the flesh is crisp and melting. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

McIver's Sugar—These melons will run about twenty inches in length, skin dark green with bright scarlet flesh that is **sugary and sweet.** For the home garden it is one of the best. The fruit ships well. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Luscious Golden Sweet—This is a dark green melon with bright, golden yellow flesh, extending close to the rind. The flesh is crisp, yellow and sugary in flavor and because of its firmness, the fruit ships well. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.50.**

Sugar Stick—A large, light green, oblong melon, often two feet in length; thin rind, yet tough enough to be of good shipment. Flesh is **deep, rich red, crisp and delicious** in quality. It is a great commercial variety; its beauty sells it. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.50.**

Irish Gray—Largely grown for shipment to distant markets. Grows large, long oval shape with distinctive mottled, greenish gray color. **Flesh rich, dark red, very sugary.** Thin, tough rind. **Pkt., 15c; oz., 30c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**

Kleckley Sweets—Oblong in shape, dark green, thin rind, with scarlet colored flesh. The melons average about twenty inches in length, ten to twelve inches in diameter; a variety which **for the home garden can hardly be surpassed.** It is medium early in season, originated in Texas and, since its introduction, has become known throughout the entire country for its remarkable quality. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Halbert's Honey—A very early melon of medium size, oblong in shape, handsome dark green in color with a **rich, crimson flesh of exquisite flavor.** The rind is just a little too thin to stand distant shipping or too much handling. For home use it should by all means be included in every planting. It is not at all stringy, ripens close to the rind, and is a thoroughly satisfactory **early melon. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Ice Cream or Peerless—A dark green, oblong melon of large size, mottled and veined. For home use and for the home market it is an extra good melon, and in quality it is just about the best of them all. It ripens medium early and is largely planted. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Stark's Honey Giant

Grown in our own county 30 years, and the finest home-market melon in the whole list. **We know the history of this melon,** and the men who have grown it.

The Stark families have eaten many of these melons and know they are of **Wonderful Quality.** Melons weigh 25 or 30 lbs., of fine oblong form, smooth, uniform dark green color of rind, and very productive. Flesh rich red and the flavor **absolutely** unexcelled. **Big pkt., 25c; oz., $1.00; ¼ lb., $3.50.**

Kleckley Sweets Watermelon

Halbert's Honey Watermelon

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Sugar Stick Watermelon

Georgia Rattlesnake Watermelon

Florida Favorite—Large, long melon, dark green skin, striped darker green—flesh, excellent quality, deep red. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Alabama Sweet—Moderately early melon—oblong shape—very large size. Skin medium green, irregular stripes darker green. **Flesh bright scarlet, crisp and tender and flavor delightful. Special Strain Seeds. Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.25.**

M. Z. Geho, Farrisburg, Vermont, says: "Our watermelons and muskmelons raised from Stark Seed were the finest I ever saw anywhere. In fact, all the Stark Seeds were extra good."

Colorado Preserving or Citron—This is a preserving melon with sweet, very solid flesh and makes preserves of excellent quality. This variety has greenish seeds, and is the best of the citrons. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

What are so Delightful as Fresh, Tender, Sugary Peas?

Burpee's Extra Early Dispatch—An extra early round seeded variety that is **satisfactory in gardens everywhere.** The pods run about 3½ inches long with eight or nine fine peas of excellent flavor. The vines grow about three feet high. A variety that is largely grown and is popular with market gardeners for its quality always assures a good market for all that can be grown. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

(S) Little Marvel—This is another **early dwarf wrinkled pea that is very sweet and good.** A splendid variety for either the home garden or for market purposes. Vines grow about 15 inches high. Pods are 3½ inches long, ends square, and packed tight with peas. In quality it cannot be surpassed, and in bearing it ranks with the most satisfactory varieties. It is similar in appearance and quality to Nott's Excelsior, and has all the good points necessary in a successful variety. When it comes into competition with other varieties on the markets it is always the best selling kind and the most satisfactory to handle. It is a variety we recommend strongly. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

(S) Nott's Excelsior—This is a widely planted, extra early, dwarf variety and one of the choicest varieties of its type. It seldom grows over one foot high, **matures extremely early and is a most desirable sort for both the home and market gardener.** The foliage is stout and heavy, and while the vine is small it holds up tremendous crops of three-inch pods that are medium green, round, strong and blunt ended, containing six or more peas with a sweetness and richness that has made it a favorite. We prefer it to American Wonder which it very much resembles and ripens at exactly the same time. This is a most desirable variety. Do not neglect to include a generous quantity of this Pea in your seed order. Whether you are planting for home use or market use, you will find it to be one of the most satisfactory sorts you can raise. It is a heavy yielder and its dwarf habit of growth permits the crop to be harvested early. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

(S) Bliss Everbearing—One of the well known standard main crop varieties. Grows about 3½ feet high with sturdy, strong foliage. Pods run about 3¾ inches long, straight and pointed. **Continues to produce pods a long time if they are picked as they grow.** An excellent variety for the home garden. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

American Wonder—An extra good, extremely early wrinkled variety that is highly recommended for the home garden. The vine is very dwarf growing, but very productive and the **pods are always crowded to the end with peas**—so crowded, in fact, that it often makes the peas appear almost square. The plants grow about 18 inches high, but are strong and hold up immense crops of the very best and sweetest peas. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Dwarf Defiance (Potlatch)—A large podded main crop variety with very strong and heavy vines about 2 ft. in height. Foliage and pods dark green, pods very large, slightly curved, containing 8 to 10 very large peas of high quality. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00 postpaid. 10 lbs. or more by express 25c per lb.**

Dwarf Telephone or Carter's Daisy—A very stout vine that grows about 18 inches high. Pods are large and well filled, averaging nearly 5 inches in length. It matures in mid-season and is satisfactory in every way. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Dwarf Gray Sugar—The pods of this variety are not shelled, but are broken up and cooked the same as string beans. One of the **sweetest, best flavored of all the peas.** Grows about 15 inches high, not requiring support. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75.**

(S) Champion of England—This is one of the finest flavored peas known. It grows 5 to 6 feet high, but is very strong and holds up immense crops. **It is one of the latest varieties, bears until frost stops it,** and is about the last that appears on the market and because of this fact it is profitable to the market gardener. It is an old sort, has been grown for many years and is still a standard variety for the home garden, and its pods are always well filled. They are noted for their tenderness and rich marrow-like flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Use NITRAGIN or HUMOGERM for Greater Pea Yield

Champion of England Peas

Peas Did Fine

Joseph Hearle, Virden, Ill., writes:—"Stark Seeds did fine for me—especially your strain of **Alaska Peas**, Earliana Tomato, Grand Rapids Lettuce and your Geraniums and Pansies."

Best Garden in 25 Years

Mrs. David R. Luck, Smithville, Mo., writes:—"I planted my garden to Stark Seeds and must say that I had the **best** garden in my 25 years of gardening, both in quantity and quality. Have had everything my family could eat all summer and my cellar is full for the winter — all from my Stark Seed Vegetable Garden."

Wonderful Success

"I certainly had wonderful success with all the Stark Seeds. Was especially well pleased with your Kentucky Wonder pole beans, Stark's strain Blue Bantam peas and onion sets. A gardener from a nearby estate saw those Stark Improved Blue Bantam peas in bloom and just stood and looked at them in amazement. Really, they appeared just like a thousand butterflies with their white wings. Next year I intend to buy all my seeds from you for Stark Seeds are all true to name. Stark Improved Blue Bantam peas are the best peas I ever saw. The crop was very bountiful and it is the strongest growing and most drought-resisting variety of peas I have ever grown."—C. Glan, Irvington-On-Hudson, N. Y.

Nott's Excelsior Peas

Extra Good Peas

"Last spring was the first time I ever bought Stark Seeds and I had splendid results, even though this last year was an off year for gardens here in Illinois. Your peas were extra good—especially Stark's Improved Blue Bantam peas. Your Giant Comet Asters were also mighty fine."—Allen Green, Moline, Ill.

Alderman—A variety of the Telephone type but with pods and peas of darker green color, vines about 4 ft. high. Pods long and straight, dark green, containing 8 to 9 large peas of good quality. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75 postpaid. 10 lbs. or more by express 25c per lb.**

Extra Early Premium Gem—A very early and very productive dwarf variety. Height about 1½ ft., foliage dark green, pods large and filled with light green peas of good quality. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75 postpaid. 10 lbs. or more by express 25c per lb.**

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

Use NITRAGIN or Humogerm For Better Pea Yield—

Alaska Peas "Earliest of All"

Bean Seeds are a VERY SHORT CROP this year. We advise ORDERING EARLY

Raise an Abundance of Delicious Peas

Ⓢ *Means EXTRA FINE Variety*

Ⓢ Hundredfold— Plant breeders and seed growers alike are constantly on the alert for new varieties of vegetables, and an improvement gained by breeding or selection runs into multiplied crop profits when the older variety can be replaced by the new. Such an improvement is the **Hundredfold Pea.** Has all the good qualities of the Laxtonian type of peas, of which our justly famous Blue Bantam is a good example; a season just following that of Alaska; a dwarf up-standing plant with dark green leaves and abundant crop of fine pods filled with big, sweet, luscious peas would seem to be sufficient recommendation for any new variety.

Hundredfold has made good in our trial grounds and we can stand back of this description with our personal experience. **Big pkt., 15c; lb., 50c; 5 lbs., $2.25. By express 10 lbs. or more at 30c per lb.**

Better Results

"Last year I planted your Stark's Improved Blue Bantam peas alongside of Blue Bantam seed from a famous Eastern house. Yours were far superior. Also never had such fine, large Osage muskmelons as I did from planting Stark Seed."—C.P. Hallstead, Madison, N. J.

Ⓢ Alaska— An extremely early variety that is sometimes called "Earliest of All," and because of its hardiness can be safely planted earlier in the spring than most varieties. The pods are of medium size and are always well filled and it is the popular early season pea for canning. They grow about two feet high and the ripening season is not a long one—often one picking will nearly clean off the crop. **They are not particular as to weather and can be depended upon to produce good crops.** It is a favorite with the market gardener and is ideal for home use where an extremely early variety is wanted. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 40c; 5 lbs., $1.75. By express 10 lbs. or more at 20c per lb.**

Telephone— This is another old standard and its popularity is increasing. It grows nearly 5 ft. high and has extra strong heavy foliage, which protects the newly forming pods against intense heat. The pods run about 4 inches long, straight, generally containing eight light green peas which are **among the most delicious that we know.** It is main crop variety, is a sure one, is a medium to late variety and matures its crop promptly. Known everywhere and is desirable in every way. We recommend it to market gardeners and to the gardener who is growing for home use only. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Thomas Laxton— Grow about 2½ ft. high but are **so strong that they do not require brushing.** The pods are about 3¾ in. long; straight, nearly round and square ended and they always fill. Ripens just a little bit later than Extra Early Gradus and is even better in quality than that splendid variety, and one that is largely grown for all purposes. A popular market sort, as it produces big crops and is always in demand. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Ⓢ Extra Early Gradus— **This variety is also called Prosperity.** It is a standard, very early largely productive variety and is largely grown by market gardeners as well as in the home gardens; undoubtedly one of the most valuable sorts grown. It produces well, has **very finest flavor and is ready for use extremely early.** The vines are vigorous and healthy, growing to a height of about 50 inches, and produces uniformly large pods measuring four inches in length, nearly round and always well filled. **Big pkt., 10c; lb., 45c; 5 lbs., $2.00. By express 10 lbs. or more at 25c per lb.**

Extra Fine Crops

"Your Stark Vegetable Seeds produced extra fine crops for me this year. The Alaska peas and Stark Improved Golden Bantam corn were extra good; but all STARK SEEDS produced satisfactory results."—John C. Braden, Allentown, Pennsylvania

Ⓢ Stark Improved Blue Bantam— A dwarf sort, growing about 15 inches high but the foliage is stout and healthy. They carry **enormous crops** of large pods that run from 4 to 4½ inches long and are tightly packed. One of the most prolific varieties that we know and one that we recommend for all purposes. This is in our judgment the ideal variety for every purpose; in quality it is unapproached by any other sort—**sweet, luscious, rich; the vine is strong, healthy, bears in spite of adverse weather conditions;** the markets take them eagerly for the highest class trade and at extra prices. Taken all in all, it has fewer faults and more virtues than any variety we know. **Big pkt., 15c; lb., 55c; 5 lbs., $2.50. By express 10 lbs. or more at 35c per lb.**

Stark's Improved Blue Bantam Peas

Radishes Add Spice to Meals

Stark's Rapid Red Radish

Simply Great Radishes

J. E. Ward, Washington, Penna., declares:—"I had fine luck with your White Icicle Radish seed—simply great radishes. Also with Stark Improved Flat Dutch Cabbage, Golden Cluster Pole Beans, etc. My tomatoes, grown from Stark Seed (your Improved Giant Ponderosa) won First Prize at our County Fair. They were admired by everyone who saw them. Stark Seeds certainly gave me complete satisfaction."

Half Long Deep Scarlet—In size and shape this variety is about midway between the round (turnip) radish, like Vick's Scarlet Globe, and the long, slim sorts, like White Icicle—from two and one-half to three inches long and with a tapering point. It is a deep scarlet color, flesh very white, **crisp and tender. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Chinese Rose or Scarlet China—A good winter radish that can be sown when you sow your turnips and will keep all winter. It grows to be six to eight inches long and about two inches in diameter, and is a long, red radish, not painted, that is **good to eat at all stages of growth. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

White Icicle—The crisp, tender, almost transparent white flesh of the White Icicle radish has made it a general table favorite. It grows four or five inches long, and one-half to three-quarters of an inch thick, is **extremely early,** has short leaves, and, everything considered, is probably the most satisfactory kind. Good roots are produced twenty-two to twenty-five days from sowing and remain in good eating condition for so long that from one sowing of seed, good crisp radishes are assured throughout the season. White Icicle is the best known and **most widely planted of all the long list of radishes,** and is absolutely unsurpassed in quality. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

"Never grew such fine radishes as your Crimson Giant variety."—Mrs. R. B. Willett, Fulton, Mo.

Philadelphia White Box—If a white round (turnip) radish is wanted, nothing is better than this. What has been said of Vick's Scarlet Globe may be said of this variety except it is white instead of red. Tender, crisp, and **remains solid and good for a long time.** These small round white radishes are profitable and are largely grown in the garden and under glass. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

White Strassburg—A half-long, white, late summer radish that is a standard sort and very desirable for home and market. Skin and flesh are both pure white, firm, crisp and **does not get pithy.** It is of **immense size** and we believe will mature with less moisture and stand more heat without injury than any other of its season. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

White Chinese or Celestial—This is a late summer or winter variety and is the very **best of its kind.** It is long in shape, with snow white skin and flesh that is tender and crisp. Grows to a large size without getting pithy. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

"Your White Icicle radishes were the best I ever grew. All Stark Seeds did extra well."—L. Powers, Kincaid, Kan.

Round Black Spanish—The skin is black and the flesh is white, compact and good quality; **keeps all winter.** It is round; runs three or four inches in diameter, and is largely grown. Seed should not be sown too early—about the middle of July for best results.

Our seed of this and all other radishes is from the very best of stock and of thoroughly dependable quality, from carefully selected, sorted and transplanted roots. In buying for the garden this fact should not be overlooked. The seed we offer and price in this catalog are of fine and dependable strains and as good as were ever produced in this or any other country. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

"Every Stark Seed grew to the limit."—H. J. Nelson, Youngstown, Ohio.

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

White Icicle Radish

Stark's Rapid Red—Very properly named, because of its quick growth to edible size. **A new variety that we strongly recommend.** The earliest of all the forcing Radishes. It is round, bright scarlet and with extremely small top and short leaves, that permit plants standing closely in the row—removing the radishes as soon as large enough to eat and giving more room for the others to develop. **They grow so rapidly that you can start pulling 20 days from sowing the seed.**

The flesh is pure white, very crisp, brittle, mild and juicy. The quality is keenly zestful. A fine variety for forcing in hot beds or greenhouses. (See illustration upper right hand corner this page.)

Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.60.

Wonderful Success

"Stark's Giant Ponderosa tomato has the right name. We bought only 30 cents worth of these seed and have canned 115 quarts in addition to selling $4.75 worth—had all we could eat and gave away over two bushels."—Lee Martin, Salyersville, Ky.

$35.00 from 3 Lbs.

"I bought STARK SEEDS last year and was well satisfied with them, especially your Kentucky Wonder Beans. I bought 3 lbs. of the seed and from them sold $35.00 worth."—J. S. Harwood, Quincy, Ill.

Round Black Spanish Radish

ROOT CROP

Scarlet Globe Radish

Ⓢ Means EXTRA GOOD Variety

Stark Selected Radishes

Crimson Giant Radish

The radish is probably the most universally grown vegetable. You can find them in practically every vegetable garden in the country, and the housewife who is compelled to buy her vegetables will, almost without exception, mention radishes first, when ordering her vegetables.

There are a great many varieties; some people prefer one kind—some another. For the home garden it doesn't make much difference, just so you head your list with a good, early sort, so they will mature while you are radish hungry. The market also is waiting for early radishes and pays good prices for them. In selecting early radish varieties, we recommend our Half Long Scarlet or White Icicle, if you like a long radish; or Vick's Scarlet Globe or Philadelphia White Box, if you want a round (turnip) radish.

Starting with these two varieties you can easily select from our carefully chosen list other sorts to make out your season. We suggest the use of four or five different varieties for the home garden. If growing for the market, you have a different problem, but each market gardener will have to decide for himself the varieties best suited to his market. Our list comprises the best of all kinds.

Ⓢ Crimson Giant—An early, round (turnip) radish that is largely used as a forcing variety, but is also among the best ones for the garden. It is a rapid growing variety, producing roots of beautiful deep red and **practically double the size of any other forcing variety, and remains tender and firm for weeks.** It is just a little later on the market than the small and earlier kinds, but is a big money maker. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

French Breakfast—This is the old favorite red, white tipped, half-long radish that matures early and is **very tender and good,** but gets pithy earlier than many other sorts. It is so well known that further description is unnecessary. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

"I bought STARK SEEDS, despite the fact that I sell seeds in my grocery store, too. Found them good, indeed."—L. W. Kiefer, Henderson, Ky.

Ⓢ Scarlet Globe—Every year, just as soon as the snow melts, average folks begin to think and talk of garden and get ready to buy garden seed. Naturally, the early radish is one of the first vegetables considered. There are several good early sorts, but **for quick maturing and good eating qualities we believe Scarlet Globe about the best.** It grows large, is almost a perfect globe in shape and for the table in early spring, no radish is more appetizing in appearance or better in quality. **Big pkt., 10c; oz. 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Early Long Scarlet Short Top—If a long, red radish, that is **ready for the table real early,** is wanted, this is a good one. It is a well-known kind, about six inches long, grows partly out of the ground, and is tender, crisp, and sweet. Market gardeners consider it one of the best first-crop varieties. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Stark Imp. Scarlet Turnip White Tip Radish

Ⓢ Stark's Improved Scarlet Turnip White Tip

This is a smooth, good-looking, red radish, flatter than most of the round sorts—almost turnip shaped. It is grown largely under glass and in the garden for home table and for the markets; one of **the most attractive of its type.** The flavor is excellent and it is generally ready for use in from twenty-one to twenty-five days. The market gardener has found them a most satisfactory kind, as the housewife likes them because of their nice appearance and their good quality. We recommend them for general planting. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Ⓢ Cincinnati Market—or Glass Radish. This variety originated near Cincinnati, Ohio. It became one of the most popular radishes of its type, and is today a standard among the long red varieties. One of its synonyms "Glass Radish" describes the translucent appearance and suggests the refreshing crispness of this really fine variety. The roots are long and smooth when grown in deep, well-prepared soil, and the bright scarlet to crimson coloring shading to pink toward the tips makes an attractive bunch on the market stand. The tops are small and the plants may stand rather closely in the row. The table quality is all that could be desired. Gardeners will make no mistake in planting this variety. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Ⓢ Stark's Special Scarlet Globe—Our trial grounds work in Radishes discovered a fine **selected strain** of **Scarlet Globe** which we are very anxious to pass on to our customers. This is absolutely uniform in type, of very rapid growth, and maturing almost the entire crop within a few days. The quality is excellent. We feel that we cannot praise this strain of Scarlet Globe highly enough in this short description and urge all gardeners who grow radishes to plant some of these and discover for themselves what a fine strain of radish this is. **Order early. Supply limited. Big pkt., 20c; oz., 40c; ¼-lb., $1.25; lb., $4.00.**

Splendid Success

"STARK SEEDS certainly are fine. I got about 20 bushels of tomatoes from your seed. Cabbage also splendid — one head weighed nearly 30 pounds."

—T. Basinger, Connelsville, Pa.

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

Check The Radish Maggot by treatment with bi-chloride of mercury. A solution of 1 part of bi-chloride to 1000 parts of water is poured along the rows about the time the first true leaves appear and repeat a week later.

Easily Grown Vegetables

Leek

Large American Flag (*Broad London*)—This is a large growing type and is very desirable—the earliest, largest and most uniform of all. It is easy to grow and is by far the most widely known and best liked variety. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.**

Parsley

Extra Curled Dwarf—A dark green, dwarf compact growing variety. Used for garnishing and flavoring. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.00.**

Rhubarb

Linnaeus—This is the best variety grown, large fleshy stems. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Corn Salad

Large Round Leaved—This is the best variety—hardiest, earliest, most appetizing. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c.**

Mustard

Elephant Ear—This variety produces extra large, light green leaves and is one of the most satisfactory kinds. It is a variety that is liked wherever it is known. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Fordhook Fancy—A handsome, dark green, feathered leaf; stands the hot sun well and is most satisfactory in every way. Cooked as spinach the flavor is very fine, even superior to spinach. The plant is healthful and its use is being encouraged—should be planted in every garden. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Southern Giant Curled—This is the popular and well known curled leaf variety and ranks with Fordhook Fancy in value. It is highly esteemed and widely planted, especially in the south where it is largely grown for greens or salads and for garnishing. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Endive

(S) Green Curled—Thoroughly hardy—dark green leaves that blanch easily to beautiful white. Pungent, pleasant flavored. Excellent autumn and winter salad. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c.**

Broad Leaved Batavian (*Escarolle*)—Extra large, broad leaved variety. Forms nice head. Can be blanched and is cooked like spinach. Also flavoring for soups and stews. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c.**

Mushrooms

(S) Finest American Grown—**Pure Culture**—Grown in cellars or any place with moderately even temperature 50 to 60 degrees. Superior to imported. **Price: Brick, 45c; 2 Bricks, 80c; 5 Bricks, $2.00, postpaid.**

Spinach

(S) King Of Denmark—The best of the long-standing varieties of spinach. Withstands scorching sun and long dry spells. Very slow to seed. Forms large, low, compact tufts. Finest flavor imaginable. Easily the most desirable spinach ever originated. **Big pkt., 15c; oz., 20c; ¼ lb., 60c; lb., $1.50 postpaid.**

(S) Savoy Leaved—This is doubtless in more general use than any other variety and everything considered, is one of the best and most satisfactory. It is early and should be sown in March or early April for summer use or in the autumn for spring use. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 60c.**

Thick Leaved Round—Produces large, thick, dark green leaves, somewhat crumpled and will stand a long time. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 60c. See Inside Front Cover.**

Long Season—Rather small plants, but compact dark green leaves, heavily crumpled. A popular variety, rather slow to run to seed, being in a marketable condition well up into the hot summer months. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 10c; ¼ lb., 30c; lb., 60c.**

New Zealand—Soft, fleshy leaves. Soak seed and sow early in spring. Makes good growth all summer, thrives in hot weather and in most any kind of soil; leaves are rather small and pointed. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Kale

Dwarf Green Curled—A low, compact plant, large bright green leaves, curled and crimpled. A beautiful plant and makes excellent greens. Sow during May and June and cultivate about like cabbage. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Cress

Fine Curled—The leaves are finely curled and ornamental in appearance, flavored much like mustard and largely used for salad or for garnishing. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 30c.**

Water Cress—This can be grown easily in shallow ponds or along the edges of running streams. Seeds may be started in boxes and then transplanted. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 65c.**

Burpee's Black Beauty Eggplant

This Mark (S) Means Extra Fine Quality

(S) Improved New York Spineless—Large size, oval, glossy, good quality, dark purple—grown everywhere. Plant large, spreading, productive. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 30c; oz., 50c; ¼-lb., $1.75.**

(S) Burpee's Black Beauty—Darker, earlier than New York Purple. Skin rich, purplish-black. Most popular and best in quality. **Big pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 35c; oz., 60c; ¼-lb., $2.00.**

This Mark (S) Means Extra Fine Variety

Small Sugar Pumpkin

Pumpkin Pies for all Winter

(S) Small Sugar—**Pumpkin pies made from the Small Sugar Pumpkin cannot be surpassed.** It cooks well and quickly and is what we call the very best quality; rather small, flattened at the ends, slightly ribbed, orange colored skin and flesh, and is ready for use very early. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.25.**

Big Tom—This is an old variety of large size, rather oblong in shape, flattened at the ends and often fifteen inches in diameter. It is solid, fine grained, reddish orange color on the outside and orange yellow inside. Used everywhere for planting in corn fields and for stock feeding. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

Large Cheese—A flat pumpkin, the diameter being much greater than the length; light green skin changing to a rich cream color as it matures. It keeps well and has thick flesh, of good quality. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 35c; lb., $1.00.**

(S) Genuine Mammoth—This is **the true Mammoth** that is known everywhere and largely planted—the largest of all pumpkins. It is almost round, has orange-colored skin and bright yellow, tender flesh; makes excellent pies and is fine quality for baking. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**

Golden Oblong—Pumpkins from fifteen to twenty inches long and from eight to ten inches in diameter. Rich orange colored skin, good keeper, light golden yellow, flesh of good quality. **Big pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Striped Cushaw—A Crookneck variety, striped green and white, flesh fine grained, good quality, weighs from ten to fifteen pounds. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $1.75.**

This Mark → (S) Means Extra Fine Variety

Be Sure To Plant Some Squash

Plant Varieties Marked with Ⓢ Sign

Ⓢ Fordhook—A fine winter squash. Long keeper, high quality and convenient size. Bears abundance of cream colored fruits, 10 to 15 inches in length, 3 to 5 inches in diameter. Shell rather hard and, carefully stored, keeps through winter. Very convenient for baking for individual portions. Cut Squash in halves lengthwise, remove seeds, place seasoning in hollow. When baked, the delicious flavored flesh separates easily from the shell. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼-lb., 65c; lb., $2.25.**

Ⓢ Stark Special Strain of Giant Crookneck—This is the ideal Crookneck summer squash. It is of extra large size—often, measuring from eighteen to twenty-four inches in length, and in quality it stands at the head of the list. **An improvement** on the popular Yellow Crookneck—**larger, better quality, approaching winter varieties in flavor.** The surface is warty and deep yellow in color and is a favorite with market gardeners as it always finds a ready sale at a good price. This Giant Crookneck is famous for its wonderful flavor. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $1.75.**

Ⓢ Early White Bush—This splendid summer squash is **also known as Patty Pan, and in some parts of the country as Cymbling.** The plants are of true bush form, and produce fruit for very early summer use. They can be planted closer together than the running kinds and a small space in the garden will produce all that the average family requires. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Ⓢ Des Moines—Few new varieties have aroused the interest of gardeners as has Des Moines or Table Queen. As an "individual" squash it is just right—about 5 or 6 inches in diameter. Surface corrugated, deep green in color, flesh thick, golden yellow, fine nutty "sweet potato" flavor when baked. Big cropper and fine winter keepers. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c, ¼-lb., 75c; lb., $2.25.**

Early Yellow Bush—A wonderfully fine flavored summer squash, similar in shape and appearance to Early White Bush but the skin is of a deep yellow color and it averages slightly smaller. The plants are bush form, may be planted closely and **they produce abundantly. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Long White Marrow (*Vegetable Marrow*)—A creamy white, smooth skinned summer squash from ten to fifteen inches long. They are grown on running vines and should be used when young and tender. A good squash that is not grown as largely as it deserves. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $1.75.**

Ⓢ Special Strain of True Hubbard—A great improvement on the well-known and justly popular Hubbard Squash. It is without the shadow of doubt the **best and most satisfactory all-purpose winter squash.** In flavor it cannot be surpassed and it keeps perfectly all winter and gets better all the time. The flesh is yellow, fine-grained, thick, very dry, **sweet,** richly flavored and cooks dry without stringiness—a delicacy that cannot be over-praised. The Hubbard is known and grown everywhere; the skin is uniformly dark bronze green, showing more or less light green markings toward the blossom end and **some Hubbards weigh as much as twenty pounds. Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $1.75.**

Ⓢ Banana Squash—An unusual type of squash, producing fruits from 18 inches to 2 ft. in length and 8 to 10 inches in diameter. The color is grayish-green on the outside with a thick flesh of golden yellow. The quality is excellent for all purposes, especially good for baking. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.25.**

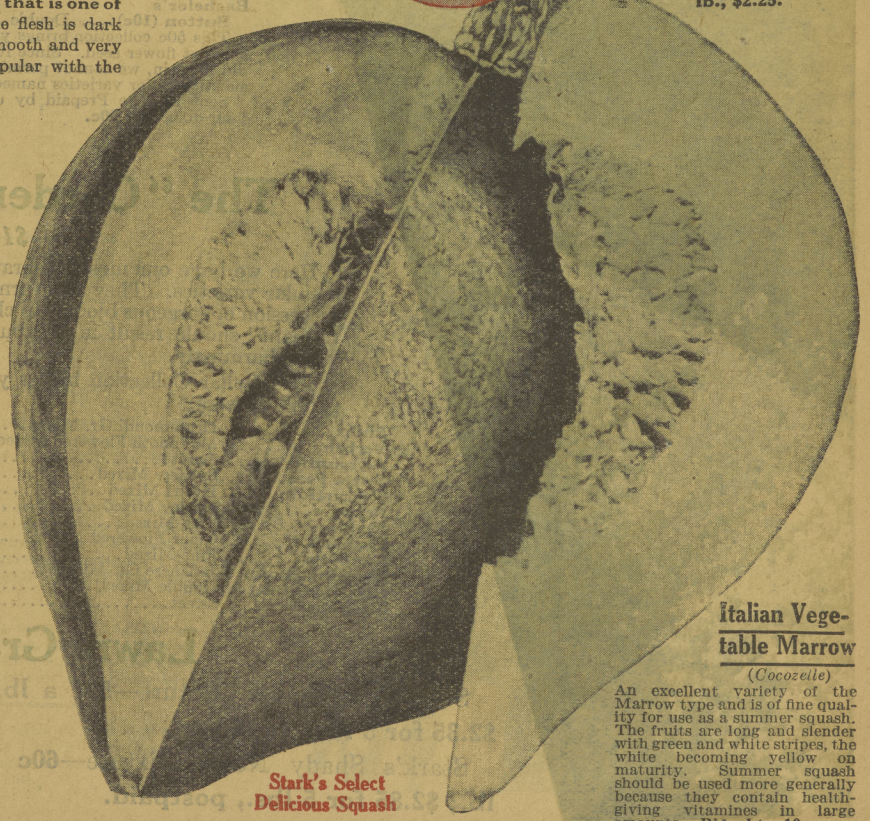
Ⓢ Stark's Select Delicious—A mid-autumn, early and mid-winter squash weighing from five to ten pounds, **that is one of the finest flavored and sweetest squashes in existence.** The flesh is dark orange color, cooks dry and is most delicious. The skin is green, smooth and very thin—sometimes mottled slightly and the variety is becoming popular with the home gardener and on the markets. Many people prefer it to the Hubbard which for many years has been the acknowledged standard of quality. When planting for home use be sure to include this variety. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $1.75.**

Golden Hubbard—Just like the Old Hubbard in shape and growth, though not quite as large; the difference is in the color which is a rich orange red, and in the fact that it is **decidedly earlier and much more productive.** It will keep all winter long, without losing quality and will we believe, before very long be as well known and as popular as the Hubbard. The flesh is a deep golden yellow, the quality very fine, and we recommend it. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**

Boston Marrow—Follows the early summer kinds in season and is popular in fall and winter use. Form and size similar to Hubbard, has a thin shell of bright orange color and **yellow flesh that is rich and sweet.** It is an extra good variety for canning and is unsurpassed for pies. It produces tremendous crops. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Pie Squash or Winter Luxury Pumpkin—A smooth, round, thin skinned, tender fleshed squash of finest flavor and acknowledged **the finest pie squash or pumpkin in existence.** Deep orange yellow, fine winter keeper and largely grown. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Ⓢ Blue Hubbard—A new type of the famous Warted Hubbard Squash. The hard warty shell is of a blue-gray color, and well-ripened fruits will keep all winter if properly stored. The thick flesh is of the usual excellent Hubbard quality. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 20c; ¼-lb., 60c; lb., $2.00.**



Stark's Select Delicious Squash

Italian Vegetable Marrow
(*Cocozelle*)
An excellent variety of the Marrow type and is of fine quality for use as a summer squash. The fruits are long and slender with green and white stripes, the white becoming yellow on maturity. Summer squash should be used more generally because they contain health-giving vitamines in large amounts. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 25c; ¼ lb., 75c; lb., $2.25.**

Economical Flower Seed Collections

Charming Gardens at Little Cost!

Every home should have its "garden of posies"—a garden in which flowers will be blooming from Spring until late in the Fall.

To aid every housewife to have a charming flower garden, we have made selections of successive blooming flowers—and offer them at prices that spell *Real Economy.* All these seeds are tested for high average germination and for beauty and profusion of bloom.

We confidently recommend all of them to you.

Stark's New Flower Seed Collections

The three collections listed below have been arranged for the convenience of persons wishing to plant a flower garden and who like this handy way of ordering by groups. These collections are arranged to fill the wants of three classes of customers—the woman with just a little city lawn, the woman with a larger lawn and she who has a good sized space for a flower garden.

"All-Summer Bloom" Collection

75c Value for 50c

This collection is intended to meet the desires of the flower lover who wants to be able to have a blooming garden from Spring until Autumn. The seeds selected are all of the most worthy, prolific sort and will produce a "posy plot" that will be a delight to you

The collection contains One Packet Each of the following:

Aster (10c).....Giant Comet Mixed
Mignonette (5c)....Sweet
Sweet Peas (5c)....Grandiflora Mixed
Calliopsis (5c).....Fine Mixed
Cosmos (10c).....Giant Flowered Mixed
Calendula (5c).....Fine Mixed
Candytuft (5c).....Fine Mixed
Coxcomb (5c).....Cristata Nana Mixed
Morning Glory (5c).Common Mixed
Sunflower (10c)....Chrysanthemum Flow'd
Bachelor's Button (10c).....Double Mixed

This 50c collection brings you **75c** worth of choicest flower seed. Since it is such a splendid bargain, we cannot permit any changes or substitutes for varieties named above.

Sent Postage Prepaid by us—Delivered to your door—for **50c.**

The "Flower Bed" Collection

25c for 7 Pkts.

This collection is a remarkable value. It comprises seven full-sized packets of specially selected flower seed, all of which we can highly recommend—knowing that they will give you utmost satisfaction.

It consists of one packet each of following:

Sweet Peas.....Grandiflora Mixed
Poppy.....Double Annual Mixed
Pinks.....Double Chinese Mixed
Nasturtium.....Dwarf Mixed
Larkspur.....Giant Hyac. Flowered
Bachelor's Button..Double Mixed
Cosmos.....Giant Flowered Mixed

Due to the fact that this is a bargain value, we cannot allow any changes or substitutes for any of the above mentioned varieties in the collection. Sent Postage Paid—Delivered To Your Door—for **25c.**

The "Garden Radiant" Collection

$1.40 Worth for $1.00

Here we have our most celebrated value of all. These flower seeds are all of the most popular varieties. They will furnish a fine big flower garden for you, with a season-long succession of gorgeous blooms to charm the eye and make life more enjoyable. A "Garden Radiant" should result in an abundance of gorgeous flowers that will set your home off most charmingly.

This Dollar Collection brings you a full-sized packet of each of the following famous garden flowers:

Phlox	Drummondi Gr. Mixed	$0.10	**Marigold**	Double African Mixed	$0.05
Verbena	Mammoth Flowered Mixed	.10	**Antirrhinum** (Snap Dragon)	Giant Flowered Mixed	.10
Alyssum	Sweet	.05	**Petunia**	Single Mixed	.05
Sweet Peas	Spencer Mixed	.10	**Aster**	Branching Mixed	.10
Nasturtium	Dwarf Mixed	.05	**Pansy**	Giant Mixed	.10
Poppy	Shirley Mixed	.05	**Pinks**	Double China Mixed	.05
Scabiosa	Fine Mixed	.05	**Larkspur**	Gt. Hyacinth Flowered Mixed	.05
Cosmos	Giant Flowered Mixed	.10	**Nasturtium**	Tall Mixed	.05
Candytuft	Fine Mixed	.05			
Morning Glory	Japanese Gt. Mixed	.05			
Bachelor's Button	Double Mixed	.10			
Mignonette	Sweet	.05			

If bought at regular price.....$1.40

Lawn Grass Mixtures

Stark's Evergreen Mixture—**50c a lb.; $2.35 for 5 lbs., postpaid.**

Stark's Shady Nook Mixture—**60c a lb.; $2.85 for 5 lbs., postpaid.**

Kentucky Blue Grass—**50c a lb., postpaid.**

Orchard Grass—**40c a lb., postpaid.**

Red Top—**35c a lb., postpaid.**

Meadow Fescue—**35c a lb., postpaid.**

This Sign→ Ⓢ Means Stark SELECT Varieties—Order Them!

Gorgeous Asters for Your Home

Wonderful Aster Crops "The asters we grew from Stark Seeds were certainly a pretty sight to look at. Everyone on the street had some and now they all want Stark Seeds for next year. J. VERERKA, Cleveland, Ohio

Giant Comet Aster

Ⓢ**American Beauty**—One of the greatest types of asters that floriculture has ever developed. Our showing this year includes many new color novelties not heretofore offered to our customers. See List below.

The American Beauty is an aster of **immense size, chrysanthemum-like in appearance,** and it has the entrancing color of the American Beauty rose. Its perfect shape, wonderful color, and immense size, and the profusion with which it produces flowers has made it one of the most popular of American asters. **The long stems make it ideal for cut flowers. Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 35c.**

Other colors of this type:	**Pkt.**
Azure Fairy	10c
Crimson	10c
Ⓢ**September Beauty.** Delicate Flesh Pink	10c
White Beauty	10c
Purple	10c

Best Flower Garden in Town

"As a result of planting Stark Seeds, I have the best flower garden in this city. I am proud of it." L. N. Edwards, Hudson, Mich.

American Late Branching—Mixed—**Beautiful in beds and for cut flowers,** large, double, borne on long, strong stems and produced in a wide range of colors. We offer mixed seed which includes all colors. **Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz. 25c.**

Ⓢ**Azure Blue**	**Pkt., 10c**
Cardinal	**Pkt., 10c**
Peach Blossom	**Pkt., 10c**
Ⓢ**Sensation**—Reddest of all Red Asters	**Pkt., 10c**
Shell Pink	**Pkt., 10c**
Purple	**Pkt., 10c**

Mikado Mixed—A mid-season aster of **splendid form and size,** long, narrow, curled petals making it most beautiful. The plants grow about two feet high and are branching with long stems. We offer mixed seeds giving several colors of the popular aster. **Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 25c.**

Ⓢ**Giant Comet Asters**—The **immense, gracefully formed flowers** of this **marvelous aster** has made it a flower garden favorite everywhere. The petals are long, curled and twisted, having a feathery appearance, which has given it the name of Ostrich Plume in some sections. The flowers are very fluffy and run five inches in diameter and are **as beautiful as any chrysanthemum.** Fine for cutting.

Crimson	**Pkt., 10c**
Lavender	**Pkt., 10c**
Pink	**Pkt., 10c**
White	**Pkt., 10c**
Purple	**Pkt., 10c**
Light Blue	**Pkt., 10c**
Ruby Colored	**Pkt., 10c**
Sulphur Yellow	**Pkt., 10c**
Mixed—choice mixture of all colors	**Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 25c**

Ⓢ**Crego Mammoth Asters**—Recognized as America's **very best, late flowering aster.** They grow to great size, from 4 to 5 inches in diameter, resembling chrysanthemums, and are borne on strong, long stems, which make them desirable for cutting. The plants are of strong branching habit, attaining a height of 2½ feet.

Lavender	**Pkt., 10c**
Purple	**Pkt., 10c**
Shell Pink	**Pkt., 10c**
White	**Pkt., 10c**
Mixed	**Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 25c**

White King—A double aster of **pure, glistening white,** blooms from August to October one of the most attractive and beautiful. The plants are of strong growth, running from fifteen to twenty inches high and producing blossoms in greatest profusion. **Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 25c.**

Ⓢ**Queen of the Market**—Mixed—This grand aster has a wide range of colors and is one of the **most profuse bloomers.** Plants are spreading and grow fifteen to eighteen inches high. The flowers are borne on long stems, the blossoms are flattened, of good size, and are largely used for cutting; **its extreme earliness also makes it popular.** We offer mixed seeds which contain all shades and colors of this magnificent variety. **Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 20c.**

Heart of France—**A beautiful aster of the purest ruby red,** borne on long, strong stems and retains its wondrous beauty to the very end. The flowers are of immense size and are full to the center. This is **a marvelous flower,** one of the most beautiful, and is easy to grow. Keeps for a long time in water after cutting. **Pkt., 10c; ⅛-oz., 35c.**

Bloomed in Abundance—"We're certainly very much pleased with your flower seed. I was never so much interested in flowers as I have been this year, since I got your Flower Seed, because the **Zinnias, Asters,** Marigolds, Pansies and Pinks were **surely beautiful and bloomed in abundance.**"—Mrs. R. C. Wessel, Garrett, Ind.

Queen of the Market Asters

"Your aster seed produced flowers that were beyond description." MRS. S. RAY, N. Adams, Mass.

Calendula Fine Mixed

Flowers that Charm the Eye

Ageratum Mexicanum (*Floss Flower*)—Flowers are produced in clusters and in great profusion from **early season until frost.** Plants are rapid growers and the profusion of bright bloom, which continues throughout the summer, makes it most popular. Colors, bright lavender, blue, and white, and the plant generally grows about twelve to eighteen inches high. **Pkt., 5c.**

Asparagus Fern—Extensively grown in pots. An admirable house plant for summer or winter. Grows freely and quickly.

Sprengeri—(*Emerald Feather*). With long, drooping branches makes a magnificent house plant. **Pkt., 15c.**

Plumosus Nanus—Graceful foliage plant, with rich green, fern-like leaves. **Pkt., 25c.**

(S) Antirrhinum or Snapdragon—The Snapdragon's **marvelous color** makes it an unmatched glory in any garden. **The giant flowering kind we offer** produces wonderful spikes of largest and sweetest scented flowers. Bloom the first summer from early spring-sown seed, but flowers attain their greatest perfection the second season. **Nothing is more fragrant or beautiful. Choice Mixture Colors. Pkt., 10c.; 1/16 oz. 30c.; Any Named variety below 1/16 oz., 50c.**

Bonfire—Orange buff, shaded Scarlet.....**Pkt, 10c.**

Canary Bird—Beautiful light yellow. **Pkt., 10c**

Daphne—Charming soft blush Pink.....**Pkt., 10c**

Pink—.....**Pkt., 10c**

(S) Defiance—Glowing sunset red.....**Pkt., 10c**

(S) Golden Queen—Exquisite self-colored Yellow.....**Pkt., 10c**

(S) Queen of the North—Pure Arctic White.....**Pkt., 10c**

Scarlet—.....**Pkt., 10c**

(S) Silver Pink—Warm self-colored Pink. .....**Pkt., 10c**

Rose Queen—Rich glowing Rose...**Pkt., 10c**

White—.....**Pkt., 10c**

Yellow—.....**Pkt., 10c**

Bachelors Button—The grand, old-fashioned flower of our grandmothers' time that has brightened American gardens for many generations. Any good garden soil will grow them. The seeds we offer are of **immense, double flowers** and **of mixed colors.** They are produced in great abundance and are charming in their simple beauty. Sow the seed in early spring in hotbeds or window boxes and transplant as soon as warm enough or seed may be sown in the open ground as soon as the weather is settled. For bedding and borders it is very showy and handsome. Double mixed. **Pkt., 10c.**

Balsam or Lady Slipper—Tender annuals. An old-time garden flower that loves the sun and should be grown where there is as little shade as possible. The flowers are **richly colored and showy,** set close to the stems, interspersed with long light green leaves—an altogether attractive flower. The plant reaches a height of from one to two feet, grows rapidly and **blooms until frost,** does best in a rich soil and requires plenty of water. Plant the seed in May; if early flowers are wanted, start them in-doors and transplant. Mixed—Large flowers in mixture of color. **Pkt., 10c.**

Calendula (Pot Marigold)

Hardy Annual.—A universally known and greatly admired garden flower that is easily grown and that blooms throughout the summer. The colors range from whitish yellow to deep orange and we offer mixed seed that will give you an assortment of color. The seeds are sown early in the spring and can be produced in any reasonably good garden soil.

(S) Orange King—**Extra large flowered strain,** the flowers averaging 3 inches across. Flowers perfectly double, **beautiful bright orange color.** A bed of this Calendula makes a gorgeous show throughout the summer. **Pkt., 10c. 1/2 oz., 35c.**

(S) Fine Mixed—A mixture of both double and single flowers in the various colors. **Pkt., 5c. 1/2 oz., 20c.**

Cannas

Tender Perennial—one of the finest bedding plants. Chip the seed coat with a knife until white portion is visible—then soak in warm water until they show signs of swelling; then sow in light soil in hot bed or boxes in the house. When the second set of leaves appear, pot up and keep under glass until weather permits planting out of doors.

"Your flower seed packets are larger and contain more and better seed than those sent out by other seed houses."—W. H. H. Foust, Leedy, Okla.

Large Flowered Mixed—Seed saved from the finest named sorts and should produce fine large flowered plants. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.**

Candytuft (*Iberis*)—An annual plant which somewhat resembles Sweet Alyssum and is almost as fragrant; however it grows larger—from twelve to fifteen inches high. Beautiful tufts of flowers in many colors are produced in early summer, if seeds are sown in the early spring. Successive sowing may be made for later bloomings. It is largely used in beds, in edgings, and in the border. We offer mixed varieties and colors. Mixed—**Pkt., 5c; oz., 25c.**

"I bought some Crego and Giant Comet Aster seed from you, and planted indoors, and never had such boxes full of plants in all my experience. Every seed came up."—M. Gertrude Shockey, Georgetown, Ohio.

Sweet Alyssum

(Madwort)

(S) Alyssum (*Sweet Alyssum*)—This hardy annual is known everywhere and largely used in the flower garden, especially for borders and for edging where the seed is sown thickly; its dainty **white flowers are lavishly produced early in the season and continue throughout the summer.** Sweet Alyssum—**Pkt., 5c; 1/4-oz., 15c; oz., 25c.**

Sweet Alyssum

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

"By aid of Stark Flower Seed, I have one of the best flower gardens in town. Every seed is a Stark Seed—consequently, every seed is a **flower.**"—Mrs. Jno. Small, Seabrook, N. H.

A Wonderful New Lily!

Lilium Regale (or Myriophyllum)—A novel lily of **wondrous beauty.** Recently found in wilds of Northwestern China. Several years tests have proved **hardy.** Can be grown in house. The flowers are snowy white, slightly suffused with pink, with a beautiful glow of canary yellow in center. The perfume is exquisite, not oppressive but with the sweet refreshment of the Jasmine. In garden, it commences to bloom in June—main crop in July.

75c each; $8.00 per dozen postpaid

Magnificent ZINNIAS

OUR strains of **Zinnia** seed are among the best, if not the best, in America. We have exercised a care in seed selection that assures satisfactory results to our customers. Everyone who has ever bought **Zinnia** seed from us has been delighted. For length of blooming season and satisfactory results under diverse conditions of soil and climate, there is no flower like the Zinnia.

Ⓢ Means Best Varieties

Victory Quilled Zinnias—**A special strain greatly improved in size and range of color this year.** Distinct in form from all other Zinnias—a delightful novelty. Petals are so quilled that they become almost tubular. They are straight, radiating from center of flower. The back of petals is a distinct color and, as they incurve, give the flower a beautiful bicolored effect. Flowers borne in great abundance, on well grown plants, and average 4 to 5 in. in diameter. The colors of this mixture range through yellow, orange, pink and rose to scarlet and crimson.
Mixed Colors—Pkt., 20c; ¼-oz., 60c; oz., $2.00.

Ⓢ**Dahlia Flowered Zinnias**—A new race of Zinnias that are the admiration of all who have seen them. **They so closely resemble Dahlias that at a little distance it is hard to tell them apart.** This mixture has been very carefully made up and includes a wonderful range of colors. All the pastel shades, brilliant scarlets, rich shades of orange and gold, besides many new shades never before found in this class of flowers. The individual flowers are large and of perfect form. **Do not fail to include this novelty in your order.**
Mixed Colors—A choice selection **¼-oz., $1.25, ½-oz., $2.00**.....**Pkt., 20c**

Separate Colors

Exquisite—Light rose, deep rose center.....**Pkt., 20c**
Scarlet Flame—Scarlet, blended orange.....**Pkt., 20c**
Ⓢ**Oriole**—Orange and gold.....**Pkt., 20c**
Dream—Deep lavender, turning purple.....**Pkt., 20c**
Ⓢ**Polar Bear**—Pure White.....**Pkt., 20c**
Ⓢ**Meteor**—Deep, glowing red.....**Pkt., 20c**

Ⓢ Giant Flowered Mixed

This is an improved strain of the old and popular Zinnia, producing double flowers of great size, often three to four inches in diameter and in colors cover a wide range. The plants grow about fifteen inches high and the double flowers are produced in great abundance on short stems. They bloom all summer and until late in the fall. Splendid effect can be produced in beds and borders with these magnificent flowers. We offer a mixture of well balanced colors ranging from white, pink and rose through the various shades of yellow to the darker shades of scarlet and crimson. **Pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 35c; oz., $1.00.**

Ⓢ Picotee Mixed

Another wonderful strain of large flowered Zinnias which because of their peculiar and unusual markings are wonderfully attractive and beautiful. Their great beauty lies in their peculiar marking, unlike the other types, the petals of this strain are oddly edged and tipped with colors distinct from the body of the flower. As a result of this it gives us some **wonderful combinations of color, pinks tipped with chocolate, purple tipped yellows, scarlets with yellow tips and so on through a wide range of colors.** It makes a showy bedder and cannot be beat for cut flowers. Of large size, the individual flowers measuring 4 to 6 inches across. **Pkt., 20 cents. ⅛-oz., 70c.**

Giant Zinnias—Separate Colors

Flesh Pink—Great giant beauties, of the softest shade of flesh pink. One of the best shades for cutting and harmonizes well with the other colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

Purple—This is one of the richest colors of all Zinnias. A true purple, rich dark color and large size. Most gardens do not have sufficient blue flowers and this helps greatly to supply the want. **Pkt., 10c.**

Golden Yellow—Immense large flowers of a true golden yellow. A bouquet of these and purple zinnias make a wonderful contrast and a beautiful display. **Pkt., 10c.**

Crimson—Darkest of all the Zinnias. A planting of these add a touch of color to the garden and when cut make a rich looking cut flower. **Pkt., 10c.**

Orange—A true orange color and looks well in combination with any of the other colors. **Pkt. 10c.**

White—A clear, pure white and should be included in every planting for contrast with the other shades. **Pkt., 10c.**

Delphinium or Larkspur Giant Hyacinth

"Every Stark flower seed I put into the ground, produced splendid blooms."—P. E. Schuster, Covington, Ky.

Blooms of Gorgeous Beauty

Campanula (*Canterbury Bell*)

Seed should be sown during the summer and transplanted to a distance of about 6 inches apart. As soon as cold weather comes they should be protected by leaves and straw. Flowers will appear early the next summer. If sown, however, very early in doors and transplanted early in the spring they will bloom the same season.

Media Double Mixed—The old fashioned sort with large, double bell-shaped flowers. **Pkt., 10c.**

Cardinal Climber—A splendid annual climber that has become very popular. Climbs to a height of 20 feet and is covered throughout the summer with small red **blossoms like miniature morning glories.** Leaves are finely cut and laciniated. Very decorative and fine for porch screens or to cover trellises. **Pkt., 10c.**

Ⓢ Daisy, Shasta—Immense pure white daisies three to four inches in diameter, produced during the entire season. Hardy perennial used in borders or beds. Sow the seed in either spring or fall. **Pkt., 10c.**

Hollyhock

As a background for other flowers of moderate height, they are unequaled. Hardy perennial. Sow the seed in June or July transplanting the following spring to three feet apart.

Ⓢ Double Mixed—A choice mixture of double flowers in all the colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

"I had wonderful results from Stark Flower Seeds last year."—Dr. M. J. Tanquary, Independence, Kansas.

Double Hollyhock

Larkspur (*Delphinium*)

The annual larkspur is one of the best known garden flowers. Seed sown in early spring after danger of frost has passed will produce flowering plants by midsummer, and they will bloom continually until frost.

Ⓢ Giant Hyacinth Flowered Larkspur—Grows from two to three feet high and produces long spikes of **hyacinth-shaped flowers of immense size.** We offer in mixed colors. **Pkt., 5c.**

Perennial Hybrids Mixed—These perennial larkspurs have **blossoms of great size** and the tall, graceful spikes are from three to four feet long, the colors ranging from white and lavender through every shade of blue. We suggest planting them in groups and in front of shrubberies. In vases, for house decoration they are very beautiful. Their blooming season is a long one. **Pkt., 10c.**

Iceplant—Dwarf trailing annual plants, with foliage appearing as though covered with ice-crystals. Small pure white flowers. Used in baskets, vases and rock work. **Pkt., 5c.**

Carnation (*Marguerite Mixed*)—This is one of the very finest carnations. It is easy to grow and its blooming season covers the best part of the summer. The flowers are **large, double, very fragrant and are in many attractive color shades.** They are produced on long, strong stems and, with moderate protection, will survive an ordinary winter and will bloom freely the following spring. Seed should be sown in the early spring and flowers should begin to appear along in July. The carnation is a favorite flower for cutting and for home decoration. We offer mixed seed, of this wonderful variety, which will give a selection of double flowers in many colors. **Pkt., 5c.**

Coreopsis (*Annual Mixed*)

A mixture of annual varieties—many shades of yellow, red, and brown. Sow where they are to remain and then thin to one foot apart in the row. **Pkt., 5c.**

Ⓢ Means EXTRA FINE

Coreopsis (*Lanceolata Grandiflora*)—The **largest flowering kind,** and largely planted. The flowers are showy, bright yellow shaded with orange, borne on long slender stems from June until frost, the plant reaching a height of two feet. It is a perennial plant, easily grown from seed and flowering the first year if seed are sown early. **Pkt., 10c.**

Centaurea Imperalis (*Sweet Sultan*)

This is without doubt the finest of all the Centaureas for cut flower purposes. The sweet-scented flowers are borne upon stiff, long stems and will last for several days in good condition. Colors range from white, lavender, rose to lilac and deep purple. Mixed—**Pkt., 10c.**

Hop (*Variegated Japanese*)—The leaves are oddly and distinctly marked with silvery white, yellowish white and light and dark green. **A very ornamental and fast growing annual climber.** Climbs to a height of twenty feet. **Pkt., 10c.**

Cypress Vine Mixed—A quick growing climber, with finely cut, dark green leaves. The flowers are small, bright colored. The seed may be started in pots in the house and transplanted to the garden as soon as danger of frost is passed, and **they will bloom for three months.** If the seed are sown out-of-doors, they will commence flowering later. It is a very attractive vine. We offer mixed seed, giving an assortment of color. **Pkt., 5c.**

English Daisy (*Bellis Perennis*)—A perennial, and is one of the first spring flowers. They are low growing and for massed beds and borders are very beautiful. Double mixed. **Pkt., 10c.**

Shasta Daisy

Radiant Nasturtiums

Radiant Nasturtiums

Dwarf Nasturtiums

Golden King—A remarkably fine dwarf Nasturtium. Monarch of all the Tom Thumb varieties. Color of blooms is rich, brilliant Indian Yellow. Leaves dark and variegated. Especially recommended. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Cloth of Gold—Scarlet flowers and yellow leaves. Very popular. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Empress of India—Dark ornamental foliage with fiery crimson flower. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Aurora—Flowers are a beautiful shade of Terra Cotta. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Chameleon—Produces differently colored flowers on the same plant. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Prince Henry—Cream, spotted and tipped with red. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Vesuvius—Rich salmon-rose blooms. Unusually good for border beds. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Beauty—A brilliantly flowered scarlet blotched with canary. One of the most showy sorts we offer. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Stark's Radiant Mixed Dwarf Varieties—A mixture made up of all the best and more popular varieties and colors. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 45c; lb., $1.25.**

Means EXTRA GOOD Variety

Tall or Climbing Nasturtiums

Butterfly—Blooms a gorgeous sunflower yellow, splashed with salmon pink. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Cloth of Gold—Fiery red blooms combined with lustrous golden leaves. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Chameleon—Differently colored flowers on the same plant. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Dunnatt's Orange—A tall vigorous grower producing a wealth of large orange blossoms. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Giant of Battles—Sulphur yellow, blotched red. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

King Theodore—Dark foliage with flowers of deep crimson maroon. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Crimson—Exquisite blossoms that resemble velvet. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

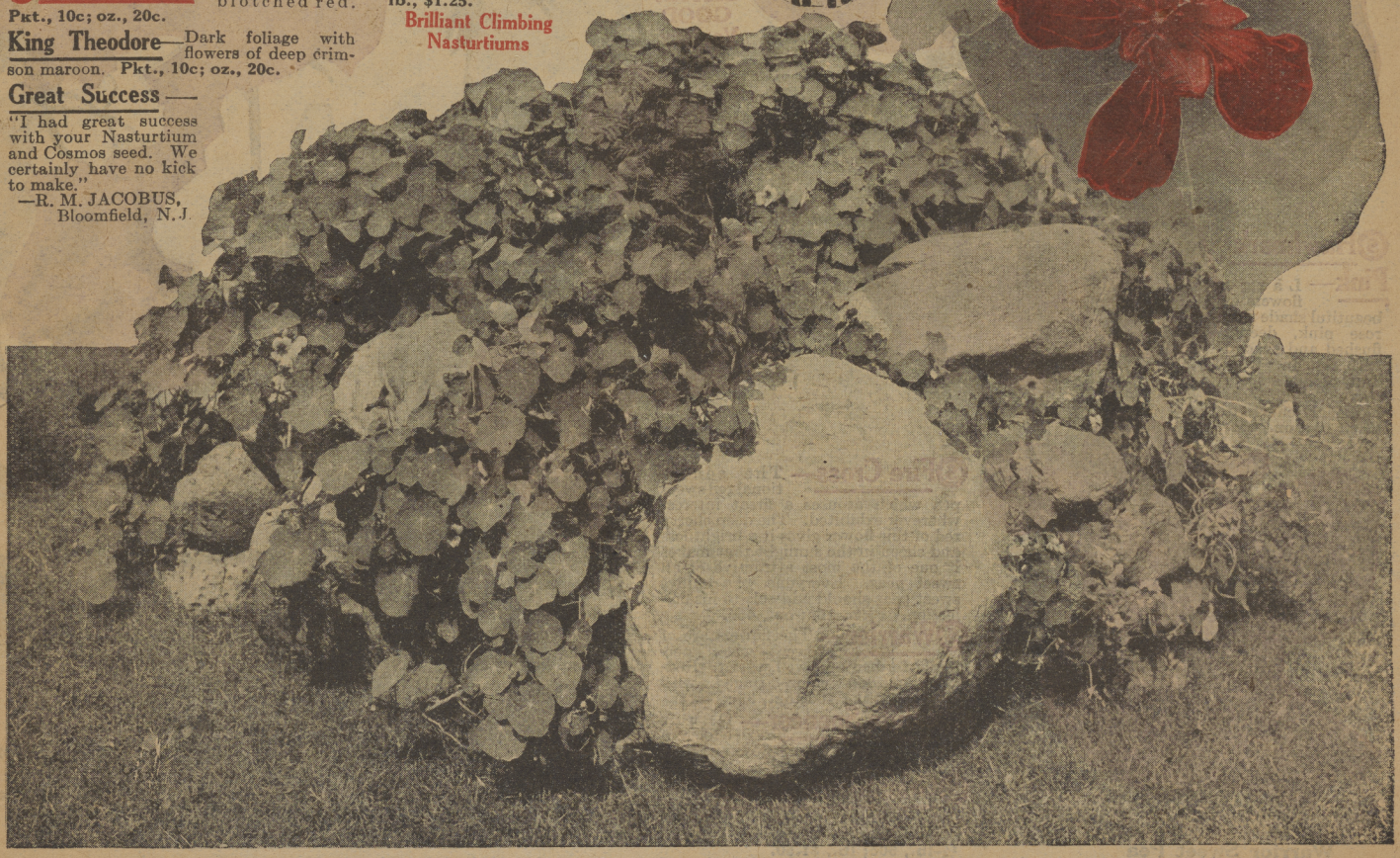
Jupiter—Blooms are gleaming sunlight orange. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Vesuvius—A pleasing shade of salmon rose. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Stark's Brilliant Tall or Climbing Mixed—A mixture containing all of the above named varieties and others. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼ lb., 40c; lb., $1.25.**

Great Success—

"I had great success with your Nasturtium and Cosmos seed. We certainly have no kick to make."
—R. M. JACOBUS,
Bloomfield, N. J.



Brilliant Climbing Nasturtiums

STARK SEEDS PAY YOU

The Blossoms Exquisite—Stark Sweet Peas

Constance Hinton—Fine white flowered variety. Strong and vigorous vines. Produces profusion of blossoms, mostly in four-flowered sprays. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

Dainty—Beautiful variety of Picotee class. Large frilled white flowers with distinct pink edging—a very beautiful combination. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

Renown—A new variety of English origin, bearing large flowers of a clear carmine rose color. **Pkt., 15c; oz., 65c.**

(S) Dobbie's Cream—This is a large sized cream or primrose colored variety with large, finely waved flowers borne on long stems. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

(S) Elegance—A superb Summer flowering Sweet Pea—delicate Blush-Lilac color, immense size—borne freely on four-flowered sprays. Free grower. Exceedingly charming. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c.**

(S) R. F. Felton—This is an English variety that has become very popular. Color a rich soft lavender. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

Mrs. Cuthbertson—Standard clear, rose pink, with wings of white tinged with a faint blush of pink. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

(S) Spencer's Mixed—This is a mixture of all the leading Spencer varieties and gives you in one packet a wide range of color. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 30c; ¼-lb., $1.00; lb., $2.75.**

Barbara—Best of Salmon colored Sweet Peas. It makes a striking appearance either for exhibition or cut flower decoration. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

George Shawyer—Beautifully formed flowers with standards of clear bright orange salmon. Wings tinged with rose. Blossoms very large. Borne freely on long stems. **Pkt., 15c; oz., 75c.**

Commander Godsall—Waved and fluted flowers of heavy substance in deep violet blue color. Produce abundance of blossoms on long stems. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

(S) Glory—Very bright glowing Salmon-Cerise color—enormous size blooms borne in great abundance. Vigorous plant, with four-flowered sprays on extra long stout stems. **Pkt., 15c; oz., 70c.**

Royal Purple—The color is a rich, warm, rosy purple. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

Daisybud—Apple blossom tinted blooms, with suggestion of cream-pink. Extra large, beautifully waved. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

(S) King Edward—Large flowers of a deep rich carmine scarlet. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

(S) Wedgwood—Most distinct blue Sweet Pea ever introduced. Flowers are bright delphinium blue, very large, beautifully waved and crimped. **Big pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

(S) America—Very attractive flower, being distinctly striped with brilliant red on ivory white ground. Free flowering on long stems. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

Mrs. C. P. Tomlin—Richly colored flowers of best waved Spencer form. The blossoms are of good substance and rich scarlet color, does not fade in bright sunlight. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 40c.**

Spencer Sweet Peas At Top

This Sign (S) Means EXTRA GOOD Variety

(S) Hawlmark Pink—Large flowers of beautiful shade rich rose pink, deeply flushed and shaded with salmon. Outlines of flowers are wavy and most pleasingly effective. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 65c.**

(S) Fire Cross—The sensational red sweet pea which arouses a great interest wherever exhibited. The deep cherry red of this flower gives it a brightness and sheen in the sunlight that makes it one of the most attractive of all sweet peas. Everyone who enjoys sweet peas should add this to his collection. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 45c.**

(S) Warrior—The flowers are of great size, perfectly formed and well waved. Reddish maroon color, tinged with bronze. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

(S) White Spencer—Our choice in this color for size of flower. Pure white, waved and frilled. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 35c.**

(S) Grandiflora Mixed—This giant flowering strain is offered in mixed colors and varieties and you will find that this mixture contains some of the finest varieties known. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c; ¼-lb., 50c; lb., $1.50.**

Warrior Sweet Pea

Grandiflora Mixed Sweet Peas Below

All Bulbs Sent Postpaid by Us

Stark's Extra Select GLADIOLI BULBS

America—Best known of all Gladioli. Our bulbs of **America** are of a specially grown strain. A magnificent cut flower. Immense size flower, soft lavender pink. Borne on spikes 2 to 3 feet long. Habit and growth perfect. **Each 6c; doz., 65c; 25 or more at 5c each.**

Stark's "Blaze-of-Beauty" Mixture—Besides planting separate colors, many plant large masses of mixed varieties to get cut flowers and add color to the garden. (See two of the glorious blooms that are the prides of this splendid collection.) This mixture is of only the finest bulbs; contains all colors offered below and scores of others. Include this mixture in your order, plant them in odd corners. Nothing will give you finer cut flowers. **55c per dozen; 50 or more at 4c each.**

Alice Tiplady—Beautiful Primulinus Hybrid. Large flowers, fine form, brilliant orange-saffron with golden throat. Tall spikes often bear 10 or 12 blooms at one time. **Each 25c; doz., $2.50; 25 or more at 18c each.**

Halley—One of very earliest blooming large-flowered varieties. Beautiful salmon-pink with creamy-white blotch on lower petals. **Each 10c; doz., $1.00; 25 or more at 7c ea.**

Herada—Immense pure mauve flowers marked with deeper color in throat. A rare shade. Growth vigorous. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 12c each.**

War—One of the finest of the red varieties. Flowers, large, well spaced on a long spike, color rich blood-red with shadings of deepest crimson. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 12c each.**

Panama—Similar to America but of a deeper rose-pink. Flowers large and well spaced on tall spikes. **Each 10c; doz., $1.00; 25 or more at 7c each.**

Evelyn Kirtland—Beautiful rosy pink edged with darker color. Brightens to shell pink in throat, contrasting with brilliant scarlet blotches on lower petals. Has wonderfully pleasing glistening effect. **Each 15c; doz., $1.50; 25 or more at 10c each.**

Goliath—Plant plenty of Goliath in your collection of Gladioli as its large dark flowers make a wonderful contrast with the other lighter colored varieties. Flowers are extra big, rich, dark purple, the largest one of this color to date. Only finest type bulbs included in our offerings. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 12c each.**

Primulinus Hybrids Mixed—A newer distinct type of Gladiolus. Contains a wide range of colors from purest and lightest yellows to deepest orange, from softest salmon pink to deep crimson. The dainty flowers are as lovely as orchids. Often throw three or four flower spikes from single bulb. **Doz., 75c; 25 to 49, 6c each; 50 or more at 5c each.**

Orange Glory—A beautiful NEW "Ruffled Glory" Gladiolus, having large waved flowers of rosy-orange color, lighter in throat. Distinct and rare. **Very rich and striking color.** Here is a gladiolus that every lover of these gorgeous flowers should plant **this year** by all means. **We especially recommend it. Each 25c; doz., $2.50; 25 or more at 18c each.**

Mrs. Frances King—Strong growing variety. Flower spikes 18 to 20 in. long. Flowers of an unusual, pleasing vermilion scarlet, large, exceptionally good for cutting. **Each 8c; doz., 80c; 25 or more at 6c each.**

Schwaben—Very attractive clear canary yellow, blotched with garnet throat. This is a gorgeous bloom and is very popular all over the country. Flower large size, good long spike. **Each 10c; doz., $1.00; 25 or more at 7c each**

Baron Hulot—*Blue King* The "true blue" gladiolus, not so large as Goliath but a darker, deep violet purple with lower petals of pansy violet.

A novelty to some, but very much in favor among the discriminating who want something newer and better. Used with Peace or Schwaben, the combination is beautiful. Flowers medium sized, set closely on spike. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 12c each.**

Mrs. Frank Pendleton, Jr. Strong growing variety. Large, well expanded flowers of lovely salmon-pink, with blood-red splashes in throat. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 10c each.**

White Glory A gorgeous pure white of exact size and type as "Kunderdii Glory"—with beautiful Iris-blue throat. **Each 25c; doz., $2.50; 25 or more at 18c each.**

Loveliness—Popular cream colored variety, throat suffused with apricot. Heavy bloomer. Opens several flowers on the spike at same time. Large, broad showy spike. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 12c each.**

Peace—A robust grower reaching 5 feet in height, under favorable conditions with a flower spike correspondingly large. Grand, large white flowers with pale lilac featherings on lower petals. **Each 10c; doz., $1.00; 25 or more at 7c each.**

Pink Perfection—Beautiful "peach-blossom" pink — exquisite, soft, yet bright. Often has six or eight open flowers on one long spike. Well worthy of its name. **Each 15c; doz., $1.60; 25 or more at 12c each.**

Orange Brilliant—Another Primulinus Hybrid with unusually large flowers well described by its name. **Each 10c; doz., $1.00; 25 or more at 7c each.**

War Gladiolus

Two Specimens From Stark's "Blaze of Beauty" Gladioli

Entrancing Blooms

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Cosmos Giant Flowered

Celosia Childsii or Wool-flower—Instead of the pyramidal, plume-like bloom, this species produces **large globular blooms like balls of wool,** of a rich, bright red color. The plant grows from 2 to 3 feet high and continues its flowering from early summer until frost. **Pkt., 10c.**

Celosia Cristata or Crested Cockscomb—An easily grown annual flower, producing immense cockscomb-like flowers, frilled at the edges, from which it gets its name. One of the **gayest, most picturesque garden flowers,** retaining its brilliancy from mid-summer until frost.

Mixed—We offer mixed seed, giving different shades of color. **Pkt., 10c.**

Cosmos

Ⓢ **Double Crested Cosmos**—Large flowers, with double center standing up like a cushion. Best of all Cosmos for cut flowers. **Mixed Colors. Pkt.. 10c; ¼-oz., 25c.**

Ⓢ **Extra Early Anemone-Flowered Cosmos**—Blooms 2 weeks before ordinary varieties. A new strain—produces enormous 3-inch flowers. Plants grow 5 or 6 ft. high—covered with blooms until frost. **Mixed Colors. Pkt., 25c; ¼-oz., 75c.**

Late Double Cosmos—Make a magnificent show in every garden—beautiful blooms 4 in. wide. **Mixed Colors. Pkt., 25c; ⅛-oz., $1.50. (Seed Scarce).**

Ⓢ **Giant Flowered Cosmos**

A marvelously beautiful cosmos. The immense sized flowers produced on long stems—broad, oval shaped, overlapping petals—are **the glory of the garden during the late season.** No finer flower for cutting. **Crimson, pkt., 10c; Pink, pkt., 10c; White, pkt., 10c; Mixed, pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 15c.**

Mammoth Early Flowering—This is a cosmos of immense size, oval, overlapping petals, symmetrical and beautiful. We offer mixed seed, giving different colors of this splendid flower. Comes into blooming ahead of other cosmos and continues until cut down by frost. **Mixed, pkt., 10c; ¼ oz., 20c.**

Scabiosa (*Mourning Bride, Pincushion Flower*)

The splendid flowers in different shades borne on long stems and keep well after they are cut. It is very effective in the border in front of shrubbery or in beds. It is an annual plant and the seeds can be sown in the spring as soon as the danger of frost is passed. They grow about two feet high and bloom from mid-summer until frost. **A flower of wonderful beauty.**

Scabiosa Finest Mixed—We offer a mixture of seed that will give an assortment of shadings and color. **Pkt., 5c.**

Kochia Childsii or Summer Cypress—An easily grown annual which sown early in spring soon forms a hedge of lively green, cypress-like plants. Plants grow to a height of three feet and when thinned to 18 inches apart in the row grow very symmetrical. The chief beauty of Kochia comes with the frost, turning it from green to a bright vivid red. **Pkt., 10c.**

Salvia Splendens or Flowering Sage—A gorgeous flower for the border. The flowers are produced on long spikes and in such abundance that **the plant is soon a solid mass of color.** The foliage is rich and a dark green. It is also very effective in masses in large beds. It grows two feet in height and is more largely used than the dwarf kinds. Sow the seed outdoors in early spring and it will bloom profusely the first season. It is a perennial but is very tender and will not stand freezing weather. This Salvia is becoming a very popular plant in parks, lawns, and gardens. No flower is more showy or more largely used for bedding. **Pkt., 10c.**

"Your Stark Sweet Peas were 2 weeks earlier than those of anyone else in town."
Mrs. B. A. Vaughn, Lindsay, Okla.

Pinks (*Dianthus*)

An old time garden favorite and a magnificent flower, producing an abundance of **brilliantly colored flowers about twelve inches high.** They are largely used in beds or borders with solid or mixed colors. The seed may be sown outdoors when the danger of frost is passed and they will produce blossoms in profusion during the summer, continuing up until frost. They also survive the winter, if given protection, and will bloom just as abundantly the following season. We offer a mixed seed giving a wide assortment of color and will please the most exacting planter.

Double China Mixed—The colors are rich and varied and the flowers magnificent in shape and size. **Pkt., 5c; ¼ oz., 15c.**

Ⓢ **Double Perennial Mixed**—Magnificent double varieties. They will bloom the first season and will produce year after year A wide range of many colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

"I made $50.00 clear from Stark Flower Seed I bought from you."
—J. WEST,
Hendersonville, N. C.

Double Dianthus Pink

Wondrous Blooms of Glorious Hues

Petunia Giants of California

Pansies Giant Mixed

Petunia

The beds of petunias in our grandmothers' gardens were the forerunners of the finer sorts that can be secured today. The petunia of today is excelled by but few flowers in brilliant and dazzling beauty. Produce flowers that are **very large** and in a **great variety of colors.** One can scarcely believe that they represent the same species as the petunias of forty years ago. **Petunia seeds are very small. Sow very thinly—cover very lightly.**

(S) Balcony Petunia, Mixed—Especially fine for window or porch boxes. Grow vigorously and are most profuse bloomers. Large flowers—about 3 inches in diameter. **Mixed Colors. Pkt., 20c.**

(S) GIANTS OF CALIFORNIA—Immense, ruffled or fringed **Petunias** in an **almost unbelievable variety of colors,** markings and stripings. They grow easily and bloom in great profusion. **Pkt., 15c.**

(S) DOUBLE MIXED—A mixture of the marvelous, double Petunias, varying in shades and colors but **strikingly beautiful.** A large percentage of the flowers come double and those which do not are large flowered and beautifully marked. **Pkt., 50c.**

SINGLE MIXED—Large, single, improved Petunia, beautiful and very pleasing in all the colors. One of the best flowers we offer for bedding. **Pkt., 5c.**

Fox Glove (*Digitalis*)—These are very showy, old-time flowers and they grow and produce without great trouble. The spikes of flowers often grow to a height of from four to five feet and are very **dignified and stately in appearance.** There are many colors and they add much to the appearance of the hardy border, where they are generally grown. **Mixed colors—Pkt., 10c.**

Geraniums

An old garden favorite and its popularity has not diminished with the years. They are generally grown from slips but they **will produce almost as easily from seed** and we offer an assortment of mixed varieties, giving different shades in coloring. The seeds should be started indoors early in the spring. The geranium is probably the best known and most admired of any garden flower and the geranium bed is always a beautiful sight and you may expect flowers from early summer until frost.

Choice Mixture—Seed saved from large flowering varieties and will produce a mixture of colored blooms. **Pkt., 15c.**

Nicotiana (*Affinis*)—An annual with sweet scented, pure white, star shaped flowers that bloom continually. Flowers often are three inches across, plants grow to a height of 2 to 3 feet. Good as a bedding plant and make a fine pot plant for the house or conservatory. **Pkt., 5c.**

Chrysanthemum

Annual—Annual chrysanthemums are easily cultivated. Produce freely during late summer and fall. Plants from 12 to 15 inches high produce splendid flowers of many colors on long stems (like immense daisies).

Double Mixed—A mixture that will give a variation in color. Double flowers, excellent for bouquets or bedding. **Pkt., 10c.**

Dahlia

Easy to grow, flowers freely and there is a wide range of color in the blossoms which are of various forms. **The improved dahlia of today is almost as large and as perfect as the carefully nurtured chrysanthemum.** Grows out-of-doors with just moderate care. Blooms throughout the late summer and autumn. These dahlias will bloom the first season if the seed is sown early.

(S) Double Mixed—Mixed Dahlia seed saved from choice double flowers which will give a beautiful combination of color, shades and tints. Unsurpassed as a cut flower. **Pkt., 10c.; ⅛ oz., 50c.**

Single Mixed—Superb mixture of large flowering single Dahlias—glorious colors. **Pkt., 10c.; ⅛ oz., 25c.**

Collarette Dahlias, Mixed—Each flower has fluted florets surrounding. Stamens, like a collar. **Pkt., 10c.; ⅛ oz., 50c.**

(S) Cactus Flowered Dahlias, Mixed—Large size flowers, many colors. **Pkt., 20c.; ⅛ oz., 75c.**

Gypsophila-Elegans—**Sometimes called "Baby's Breath" or "Angel's Breath."** Plants only grow 10 to 12 inches high. Small flowers produced in greatest profusion. Its gracefulness and beauty make it popular for bedding and border.

Mixed—A mixture of both colors, rose and white. **Pkt., 5c.**

(S) Hyacinth Bean or Dolichos—A splendid climber of rapid growth, often making twenty feet in a season, with erect, wistaria-like clusters of purple or white daisy-like flowers, followed by very ornamental seed pods. Seeds may be sown in early spring and it flowers very quickly, remaining in bloom until frost. **MIXED—White and purple. Pkt., 10c; oz., 15c.**

Gaillardia Grandiflora (*Blanket Flower*)—Large and varied colored, grown on bushy plants, twelve to fifteen inches high and long stemmed flowers, produced well above the foliage. It is one of the best early flowering perennials and shows up to a great advantage in the border or in beds. Blooms the first season from early sowed seed. Large flowers with dark crimson centers, petals of flower having rings of many varied colors. **Mixed. Pkt., 10c.**

Sunflowers (*Helianthus*)

Double Chrysanthemum Flowered—This is a rich, golden yellow, perfectly double flowered sunflower that is very ornamental and the most attractive variety. The plant is tall, growing four to six feet high, and blooms profusely all summer. The flowers are often from eight to ten inches across, very double and resemble chrysanthemums. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 25c.**

(S) Purpureus (*Red Sunflower*)—This novelty should be included in the planting of every garden. Flowers of true sunflower form, single, from two to five inches in diameter and are **of various shades of red and red margined with yellow.** Branches freely and flowers are excellent for cutting, keeping for a long time. **Pkt., 10c.**

Pansies

The sweet and modest pansy is a familiar flower everywhere and the old-time name of Heart's Ease is still often applied to it. It is one of the oldest of garden flowers and the vastly improved present day varieties appeal to all lovers of the beautiful in flowers. The wonderful, yet delicate, beauty of the giant pansies we offer has made them the favorite flower in thousands of gardens and, without exception, the pansy bed, where this marvelous sort is grown, is the center of attraction to every visitor. It is the best loved flower.

(S) Giant Mixed—The Giant pansy is the **highest type** of this wonderful little flower and the seed we offer gives an assortment of **wonderful color in giant flowers,** that at blooming time will be the pride of the owner. **Pkt., 10c; ⅛ oz., 75c.**

Great, Glowing Beauties

Poppy Single Mixed

Poppy

Poppies are among the most popular of all annual flowers. They should be sown as early in the spring as possible and are not to be transplanted. Thin them to stand about four inches apart in the row, and if you wish a succession of blooms continue to sow them at intervals through the season.

(S) Shirley Mixed—One of the **finest strains** of this charming flower, producing single and double flowers in the greatest variety of colors from pure white to deepest crimson. Many are daintily edged and striped and come in such a range of color that very few are alike. **Pkt., 5c.**

(S) Orientale—One of the **most showy flowers** for the hardy perennial garden that we offer. Blooms in early summer, flowers large, flame red with a blotch of black on each petal. Grow to a height of 2½ feet. **Pkt., 10c.**

Double Mixed—A selection of many colors of the gorgeous double poppy. A wonderful sight when in bloom. **Pkt., 5c.**

Single Mixed—A mixture of the finest single varieties in a wide range of color. **Pkt., 5c.**

Schizanthus (*Butterfly Fringe Flower*)

This is a very delicate annual flower, easy to grow and largely used for edging borders or flower beds. The seed may be sown in the spring as soon as danger of frost is past and thinned out to about six inches apart. We offer a mixture of seed that will give plenty of variation in color.

Fine Mixed—An **improved strain** of all the colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

Sweet William—Fine border plant. **Splendid blooms for many weeks.** Excellent for cutting. Hardy perennial, free flowering. **Mixed Colors. Pkt., 10c.**

(S) New Annual Sweet William—Entirely new type—**blooms freely first year from seed.** Height, 15 in. **Very attractive. Mixed Colors. Pkt., 10c.**

Stocks (*Ten Weeks Stock*)

This marvelously beautiful flower is easily grown. The flowers are produced on long spikes and they come in all shades, delicate pink, white, red, cream, purple. They are annual plants and are hardy and may be sowed outdoors in spring giving a wonderful profusion of bloom during the summer.

Double Giant—Many colors, giant flowered, **the choicest of all. Pkt., 10c.**

Morning Glories

(S) Japanese Giant Mixed—Immense flowers of **wonderful beauty**—almost every color and every shade. **Mixed Colors. Pkt., 10c; ½-oz., 25c.**

Common Mixed—Morning glory of the old gardens. Often trained on porches. Its delicate beauty is as much appreciated now as ever. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c.**

(S) Heavenly Blue—(*California Moonflower.*) Finest of all blue-flowering climbers. Vines strong growth, covered in late summer with large sky-blue flowers. **Pkt., 20c; ¼-oz., 40c.**

Eschscholtzia (*Calif. Poppy*)—Flowers are in bloom through a longer season than common poppy. A most effective flower for bed or border. Blooms are 2 inches in diameter. Produced in great profusion all summer.

(S) Mixed—Choice mixed colors, range from white, pink, orange and yellow to dark crimson. **Pkt., 5c; ¼-oz., 20c.**

Verbenas

Mammoth Flowered—Low growing annual largely used for massing, beds and borders. Sow seed in Spring. Flowers appear in early summer. **Pkts., 10c; ⅛-oz., 20c; ¼-oz., 35c.**

(S) Lucifer—A brilliant Scarlet Verbena—no eye. Extra fine strain. **Pkt., 15c; ⅛-oz., 25c; ¼-oz., 45c.**

White—A most pleasing form of Verbena. Blooms profusely. **Pkt., 15c; ⅛-oz., 25c; ¼-oz., 45c.**

Pink—A delightful shade of cerise pink. **Pkt., 15c; ⅛-oz., 25c; ¼-oz., 45c.**

Purple—Rich, deep color—with white eye. **Pkt., 15c; ⅛-oz., 25c; ¼-oz., 45c.**

Firefly—A blazing scarlet bloom, with white eye. **Pkt., 15c; ⅛-oz., 25c; ¼-oz., 45c.**

Blue—One of the most pleasing Verbena colors. **Pkt., 15c; ⅛-oz., 25c; ¼-oz., 45c.**

Eschscholtzia or California Poppy

Morning Glory Japanese Giant

Colorful Flowers For You

Marigold Dbl. African Mixed

Marigold

A fine, old-fashioned garden flower with brilliant yellow and orange flowers that are a glorious sight during the autumn months and can be grown in masses in front of shrubbery or in the garden border. Their appearance is very striking and the marigold plot is generally the most attractive spot in the garden. The African varieties are tall, usually from one and one-half to two feet and are generally used for large beds or back-ground, while the French are more dwarfed and more often used in the border. Seeds should be started early indoors and transplanted to about six inches apart as soon as danger of freezing weather is over. However, seed can be planted in the open ground in early spring and good blooms secured the same season.

Ⓢ Lemon Queen—A tall growing variety bearing large double quilled flowers of soft lemon color. Very showy. **Pkt., 10c.**

Orange Ball—Almost identical with Lemon Queen except in color, which is deep golden orange. **Pkt., 10c.**

Ⓢ Double African Mixed

The tall growing sort; assorted colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

Double French Mixed

The dwarf kinds in assorted colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

Earliest Blooms In Town

Mrs. B. A. Vaughn, Lindsey, Okla., says:—"The **Sweet Peas** that we raised from Stark Seeds were two weeks **earlier than those of anyone else in town** and lasted long after all others were gone and they were certainly beautiful."

Perennial Pea (*Hardy Sweet Pea*)—A hardy climber used for covering old stumps and fences. Blooms nearly all summer, produces flowers fine for cutting.

Mixed—A mixture of all the colors, white, pink and red. **Pkt., 10c.**

Helichrysum or "Everlasting Flower"—Is the best known of all the so-called "Everlasting" flowers. This flower grows two or three feet high, produces large, double flowers of brilliant colors, including pink, yellow and scarlet. They are grown largely in beds and used as cut flowers or may be tied in bunches and dried slowly for winter decoration. They grow readily from seed sown in open ground in the early spring. Thin to 12 inches apart in the row.

Fine Mixture—This mixture we offer is of the improved large flowered strain of double flowered. **Pkt., 5c.**

Sweet Mignonette

One of sweetest, most beautiful of old garden flowers, producing dense, cone-shaped spikes of blossoms. The delicate odor has made it one of the most popular.

Odorata Grandiflora—Immense flowers, very fragrant. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 20c.**

Portulaca (*Rose Moss*)—A low spreading annual about six inches high; flowers appear in a short time from seed and throughout the entire summer they produce **a perfect carpet of brilliant color.** Thrives in thin soil, and is used for massing in beds, for edging, and in rockwork: once established, it withstands dry weather and heat to a remarkable degree. The brilliant colors make a dazzling display.

Double Mixed—A big percentage of this mixture will produce perfectly double flowers, of crimson, scarlet, white, yellow and other colors. **Pkt., 10c.**

Single Mixed—A grand mixture of the single sorts in brilliantly colored flowers. **Pkt., 5c.**

Ⓢ Parana Portulaca—New Giant flowered variety—distinct bluish rose in color. **Pkt., 15c.**

Ⓢ Phlox Drummondi

Unsurpassed **brilliantly colored flowers** produced easily. Bloom through a long season. Fine for massing in large beds.

Star—Pointed petals, flowers have star effect. **Mixed Colors. Pkt., 10c; ¼-oz., 35c.**

Grandiflora Mixed—Contains all of the colors of this popular flower. **Pkt., 10c; ¼-oz., 35c.**

Nigella (*Love-in-a-Mist*)

A beautiful flower and one that thrives everywhere and is easy to grow. The seed should be sown in the open ground any time during early spring and seedlings thinned to a distance of about eight inches. They seldom succeed well if transplanted.

Miss Jekyll—The favorite variety of Nigella; beautiful corn-flower, blue flowers with a background of feathery green foliage. **Pkt., 10c.**

Phlox

Ⓢ Means Extra Good

Ⓢ Marvel of Peru or Four O'clock—Half hardy perennial. It takes its name from the habit of the flowers opening in the afternoon about four o'clock. It has a bushy habit, plants growing about two feet high and in late evening they are a **solid mass of vivid color and are of wonderful fragrance.** An old time flower that has lost none of its popularity. The seed should be sown early in shallow drills, afterwards thinning out the plants to eighteen inches apart in the row. We offer mixed seeds giving an assortment of color. **Pkt., 5c; oz., 15c.**

Four O'clock

Ricinus (*Castor Oil Bean*)

Zanzibarensis—This variety surpasses all others and is a glorious plant, splendid for use in the center of foliage beds or as a screen. Can be started in the house and transplanted as soon as the danger of frost is over. The plants grow to a height of ten or twelve feet. **Pkt., 10c; oz., 20c.**

Stark's "Prize-Size" Baby Chicks

100 Per Cent Live Delivery GUARANTEED

IN offering you these sturdy, selected Stark's "Prize-Size" chicks at such reasonable prices, we have solved your greatest problem—that of getting good stock at the least cost and trouble. Just think how easy it is to have all the baby chicks you need brought to your door at one time by the mail-man. No bother of setting hens—often at a great loss. No taking care of five or six different flocks of all different ages.

We feel that most readers of this Stark Seed Catalog have **confidence** in **Stark Seed** and in STARK TREES. Now—we want you to feel the same way about Stark's "Prize-Size" Baby Chicks. If we were not in a position to furnish you superior baby chicks, we would not try to offer you any.

200 Chick Customers—Given Membership in Missouri State Poultry Association Given Year's Subscription to O. K. Poultry Journal—*FREE*

This is a **SPECIAL 1925 GIFT** to all persons who buy 200 or more of Stark's "Prize-Size" Baby Chicks during **this year.**

This Membership in the famous **MISSOURI STATE POULTRY ASSOCIATION** puts you in touch with many of the leading Poultry Authorities of the entire country. **IT GIVES YOU THE PRIVILEGE OF COMPETING FOR SPECIAL PRIZES AT STATE AND COUNTY SHOWS OF THIS GREAT ASSOCIATION.**

The Association's Sales Department will aid you in disposing of your surplus breeding stock and hatching eggs also. You will, as a member, receive **ALL** the valuable Poultry Bulletins issued by the celebrated **MISSOURI STATE POULTRY EXPERIMENT STATION** and be entitled to personal, individual information and advice whenever you desire it.

A WHOLE YEAR'S SUBSCRIPTION TO THE "O. K." POULTRY JOURNAL—a monthly of great interest and help to every poultry raiser.

ALL THIS FREE—IF YOU ORDER 200 OR MORE STARK'S "PRIZE-SIZE" BABY CHICKS.

Chicks Sold Only in 25, 50 or 100 Lots—Never Sent C. O. D.

We can accept no order for less than 25 chicks. If you order 200, 300, 500 or more, we ship each 100 in a separate shipping case—a strong, perfectly ventilated box, made especially for us.

We ship chicks by Parcel Post. We pay the postage. The chicks are delivered to your home by the carrier, just the same as first class mail.

We notify you by mail just exactly when the shipment of your chicks will be made, so you can be prepared for the arrival of the chicks.

When you send your order, please specify a first and second choice of breed of chicks. This is to save you delay. If we haven't chicks of your first breed selection, we can ship the breed you consider next best.

PROMPT SHIPMENT—We fill all orders just as soon after receipt as possible. You realize, of course, that it is not always possible to have enough chicks of all breeds hatched and ready to ship at all times.

Always send the necessary money to pay for chicks with your order. If, for any reason, we cannot fill your order, we will return your money. **PLACE YOUR ORDER EARLY!**

Sturdy, Selected Chicks *At New, Lower Prices*

Cash, Money Order or Check with Order—No C. O. D. Shipment Order Accepted

PRICES FOR DELIVERY DURING FEBRUARY, MARCH, APRIL AND MAY

	25 Chicks	50 Chicks	100 Chicks	500 Chicks
S. C. (English) White Leghorns	$4.00	$ 7.50	$14.00	$65.00
S. C. (American) White Leghorns	4.00	7.50	14.00	65.00
S. C. Brown Leghorns	4.00	7.50	14.00	65.00
S. C. Buff Leghorns	4.50	8.50	16.00	75.00
Barred Plymouth Rocks	4.50	8.50	16.00	75.00
S. C. Rhode Island Reds	4.50	8.50	16.00	75.00
R. C. Rhode Island Reds	4.50	8.50	16.00	75.00
S. C. Black Minorcas	4.50	8.50	16.00	75.00
Buff Rocks	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....
Buff Orpingtons	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....
White Wyandottes	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....
White Rocks	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....
White Rhode Islands	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....
Mottled Anconas	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....
S. L. Wyandottes	6.00	10.50	20.00	.....

PRICES FOR DELIVERY DURING JUNE, JULY, AUGUST AND SEPTEMBER

	25 Chicks	50 Chicks	100 Chicks	1000 Chicks
S. C. (English) White Leghorns	$3.00	$5.50	$10.00	$90.00
S. C. (American) White Leghorns	3.00	5.50	10.00	90.00
S. C. Brown Leghorns	3.00	5.50	10.00	90.00
S. C. Buff Leghorns	3.50	6.50	12.00	110.00
Barred Plymouth Rocks	3.50	6.50	12.00	110.00
S. C. Rhode Island Reds	3.50	6.50	12.00	110.00
R. C. Rhode Island Reds	3.50	6.50	12.00	110.00
S. C. Black Minorcas	3.50	6.50	12.00	110.00
Buff Rocks	5.00	9.00	16.00	.....
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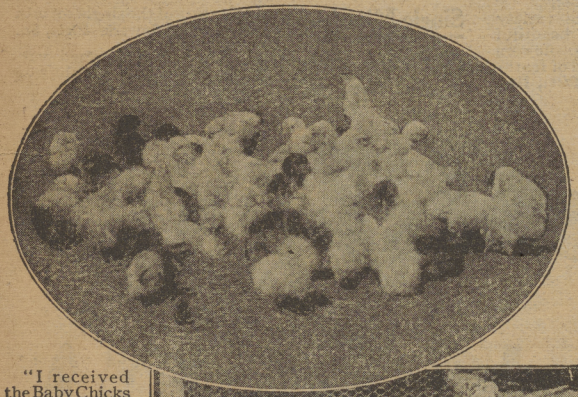
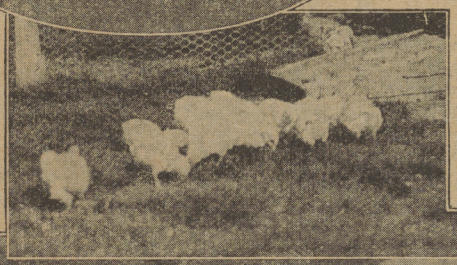
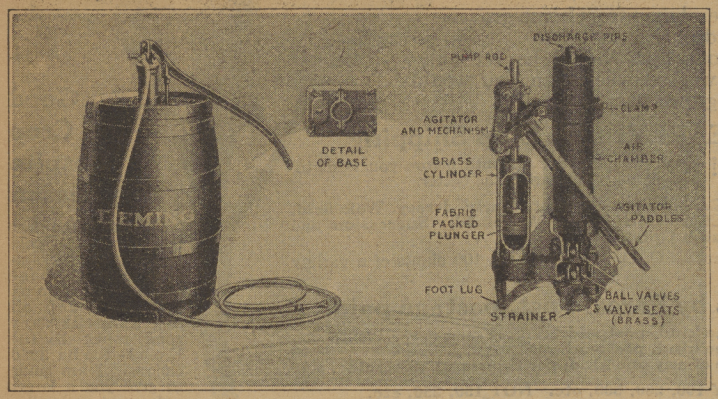
S. L. Wyandottes	5.00	9.00	16.00	.....





"I received the Baby Chicks this A. M. All alive and hearty. Enclosed find ck. for which send me 50 more like these." Samuel J. Dries, Kutztown, Penna.

Aids to Better Crops



The "Century" Barrel Pump

SPECIAL PRICE: Including 25 ft. ½ in. hose, Simplex Angle Nozzle, Couplings, etc. f. o. b. Salem, Ohio..... **$16**

This barrel pump is carefully boxed for shipment, all ready to be installed in any good tight barrel.

Cylinder, 2¼ inch, seamless drawn brass, 4 inches long, always submerged and primed. Bronze ball valves and bronze valve seats. Air chamber 2½ inches, heavy steel tubing 32 inches long reduces effort in pumping. Twin paddle agitator, simple and effective. Brass gauze strainer. Shipping weight, pump only; carefully boxed, 75 lbs. This pump is large enough to use two leads of half inch hose, but comes equipped with only one lead of hose, 25 ft.

Kill Off Those Peach Tree Borers!

USE PARACIDE—chemically known as Paradichlorobenzine (p-c-benzine)

This white crystalline substance changes on exposure to a heavy gas that is harmless to human beings, but very poisonous to insects. It is used specifically against peach tree borers on trees 5 years of age and above. The gas from the p-c-benzine (when used according to directions sent with every package) works down into the soil and kills the borers in their channels. **We use it in our own orchards and recommend it.**

Prices, 1 lb. package, 50c; 5 lb. pkg., $2.25, postpaid. By express, 10 lb. pkg., $3.50; 25 lb. pkg., $7.50, F. O. B. Louisiana, Mo.

"KAYSO"

(Casein Spreader for orchard, greenhouse or garden sprays). This white powder provides an inexpensive, effective spreader for sprays. It simplifies orchard spraying and increases value of spray materials with which it is used. Keeps poison materials in suspension and increases spreading properties of spray. Prevents it collecting and drying in spots on the fruit. Materially reduces cost of spraying. Use 1½ pounds to 200 gallon of spray mixture and add it to water before the other materials.

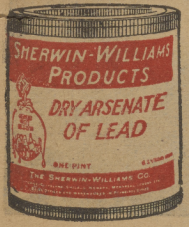
Sacks, paper lined, of 100 lbs., per lb.....20c
Sacks, paper lined, of 50 lbs., per lb.....21c
Sacks, paper lined, of 10 lbs., (cased, 12 per case), per lb.....23c
Paper bags holding 1½ lbs., 30 per case, per lb.....23c
10 oz. Cartons, 24 per case, per doz.....$3.00

Hammond's Slug Shot

A light composite, fine powder, easily distributed either by dusting or in water by spraying. Thoroughly reliable in killing currant worms, potato bugs, cabbage worms, chicken lice, slugs, etc., and is also strongly impregnated with fungicides which help control plant diseases. **Price 1 lb., 35c postpaid; 5 lbs., 85c postpaid.**

Bordo Powder

This is a true Bordeaux mixture put up in powder form, requiring only the addition of cold water to make a standard Bordeaux spraying compound. This is the best spray of all to be used against fungus diseases in the garden, orchard or vineyard. **Price lb., 50c postpaid; 5 lbs., $2.25 postpaid.**



Arsenate of Lead

One of the best destroyers for all leaf eating and chewing insects, and there is little danger of burning the foliage when using it. Arsenic which is the chief poisoning agent is correctly combined with Lead which serves to hold the poison upon the foliage for the longest possible time. We offer the dry powder which is readily soluble in water. It is used in strengths varying from 4 to 10 lbs. per 100 gallons of water, depending upon the insect to be killed. Not mailable. **Price ½ lb., 30c; lb., 55c; 5 lbs., $2.25.**

Paris Green

One of the most effective poisons used for fighting all leaf-eating insects. Contains a large percentage of arsenious oxide and is readily soluble in water. Not mailable. **Price ¼ lb., 25c; 1 lb., 75c.**

"Black Leaf 40" (Nicotine-Sulphate)

There are many insect enemies of fruits and flowers that cannot be controlled by such poisons as Paris Green and Arsenate of Lead, because they are not leaf-eaters. Most common of this type are the aphids (plant lice), thrips and leaf hoppers. They are controlled by the use of "contact" insecticides such as "Black Leaf 40" which is about 40% nicotine. This is very powerful, one teaspoonful sufficient to a gallon of water. Cannot be mailed, express or freight orders only. **Price 1 oz., 35c; ½ lb., $1.25; 2 lbs., $3.75.**

SULPHO-TOBACCO SOAP

(Plant and Animal Soap)

An effective remedy for removing insects and scale from the house plants. Make a strong suds and thoroughly wash the plants, repeating again in two weeks, if necessary. Also used for freeing dogs and other pets of lice, etc. **Price 3 oz. cake, 15c postpaid.**

DRY LIME AND SULPHUR

Every gardener is familiar with the use and success of Lime and Sulphur solution. The dry powder we offer is made up in the true proportions requiring only the addition of cold water for use. This form is a great convenience in shipping and storing. **Price lb., 50c postpaid; 5 lbs., $1.50 by express.**

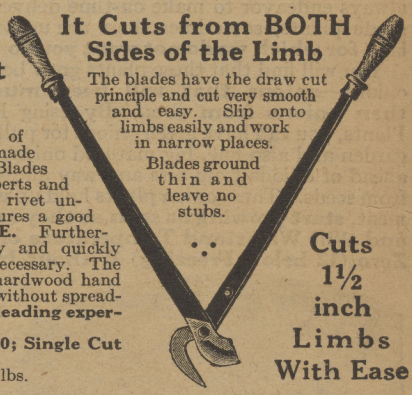
Swivel Pruning Saw

16, 18 or 20 inches long—choice of either size for $2.75, postpaid.

Most popular in larger fruit sections. Suitable for cutting either large or small limbs. **Allows the blade to be turned to enable you to work in tight places.** Light in weight but extremely strong. A very fast cutter—and a saw that every owner of any fruit trees should have. You will find it the handiest tool you ever had around the orchard or farm.

Price $2.75, postpaid.

TIFFANY'S All-Steel Double-Cut TREE PRUNERS



It Cuts from BOTH Sides of the Limb

The blades have the draw cut principle and cut very smooth and easy. Slip onto limbs easily and work in narrow places.

Blades ground thin and leave no stubs.

Cuts 1½ inch Limbs With Ease

These tools are forged from bars of **very fine crucible steel,** which is made expressly for these tree pruners. Blades are carefully tempered in oil by experts and **put together with a heavy steel** rivet under tremendous pressure, which assures a good fit. **NO NUTS TO GET LOOSE.** Furthermore, these pruners can be easily and quickly tightened with a hammer, if ever necessary. The forged steel levers are fitted with hardwood hand grips. The jaws open very quickly without spreading handles too far apart. **Used by leading experiment stations.**

Prices: Double Cut Style, $3.50; Single Cut Style, $3.00, postpaid.

Both styles 24 in. long, weight, 3 lbs.

Pruning Shears

Double Cut Wood Handled Pruners—Strongly made of forged tool steel, carefully ground and tempered. Unlike the ordinary pruners, this type cuts from both sides of the limb at once, does not bruise or peel the bark but leaves a clean smooth cut that heals up rapidly. Furnished with wood handles in 30 inch length. The most powerful pruner made. **Price $4.25, postpaid.**

Double Cut Hand Pruners—Made on the same principle as the larger shears, of finest tool steel but designed for lighter work. The finest cutting, most durable shear we believe that is on the market. Strong, well made, will outwear two or three pairs of ordinary shears, and do the work better and easier. Every home owner has need of just such shears as these nearly every day in the year. They are a great aid in pruning the various crops in the garden and are indispensable in keeping the trees and shrubs in orchard and lawn properly trimmed. Made in one size, 9 inches in length. **Price $3.75 each, postpaid.**

FROST-PROOF Cabbage Plants

WE are again offering the best quality possible of "Frost-Proof" Cabbage and Onion Plants **by request of hundreds of our patrons.**

We do not grow these plants. They are grown for us on an island off the southern Atlantic Coast where the soil and the climatic conditions are ideal for the production of tough, hardy plants.

It must be understood that we are handling these plants **for the accommodation of our customers.** We always make every effort to ship fine quality plants promptly. Sometimes, however, there are unavoidable delays **that cannot be blamed on us.**

Produce Cabbage Plants 2 to 3 Weeks Earlier

The top of the plant does not grow until your regular spring weather opens up, but the roots grow from the time they are planted. Just as soon as the warm spring weather starts, this established root system readily absorbs the plant food in the soil, causing a rapid plant growth. Heads are matured two to three weeks sooner than you can mature them from hot-bed or cold frame plants. Any gardener will know what it will mean to him in dollars to have his crop matured and marketed from two to three weeks before the general crop from home-grown plants is ready.

NOTE: Plants when received by you will look gray and somewhat withered. DON'T let that fool you. They are FULL of life. PLANT them—and SEE THEM GROW!

Frost-Proof plants should be set out four to six weeks earlier than you would plant home-grown plants.

ORDER EARLY! We Stop Shipping ON MAY 1!

Send in your order a month before you want to set plants. The earlier the better.

Varieties Copenhagen Market, Early Jersey Wakefield, Charleston (Large Wakefield), Succession and Early Flat Dutch Only.

No plants sent C. O. D. Not less than 100 plants of a variety sold.

Prices by Parcel Post, postage paid

100 of any one kind, postpaid..... 50 cts.
500 of any one kind, postpaid..... $1.60
1,000 or more of any one kind, per thousand, postpaid 3.00

ORDER BY 100, 200, 500, etc. NOT 150, 250, etc.

The 500 and 1,000 prices are for that number of plants of one kind. If you ordered 200 of one variety and 300 of another variety, you would pay at the 100 rate.

Quantity Prices

Prices by express, buyer paying express charges. **In lots of 1,000 to 4,000 plants at $2.00 per 1,000; 5,000 plants or more at $1.50 per 1,000.**

No C.O.D. Orders Accepted!

Good Crop Despite Dry Season

"Despite the fact that we had a cold spring and dry season, your cabbage produced good crops. We also found **all** Stark Seeds very good, especially the Kohl-Rabi and Onions. I am going to give you a larger order next spring."—C. C. Kiser, Dobb's Ferry Village, N. Y.

FROST-PROOF Onion Plants

AS we stated above, we are handling "Frost-Proof" Onion Plants **for the accommodation of our many customers who have asked us to furnish them with these plants.** They are grown for us—by the same expert who grows our "Frost-Proof" Cabbage Plants—and while we will always endeavor to make on-time deliveries of best grade plants, sometimes there are unavoidable delays, **for which we do not want you to blame us.**

You will find that these plants grow better shaped onions—**onions that will keep much better than onions from sets.** By using Frost-Proof Plants, you can have green onions for pulling in your garden and also fine, big matured onions two weeks ahead of onions from sets and way ahead of onions from seeds. These onion plants hold up well in shipment, **start growing as soon as they are planted and Will Withstand Temperature of 20 Above Zero (12 below Freezing) Without Injury.**

ORDER EARLY
We Stop Shipping May 1!

Prize-Taker and White Bermuda Plants Only! No plants sent C. O. D. No order for less than 100 accepted. Orders are filled by 100, 200, 300, 500, etc. **We cannot ship 50, 150, 250, etc., of any variety.**

Prices by Parcel Post, postage paid by us

100 plants of any **One** variety, postpaid..... 50 cts.
500 plants of any **One** variety, postpaid..... $1.60
1,000 plants or more of any **One** variety, postpaid $3.00 per thousand

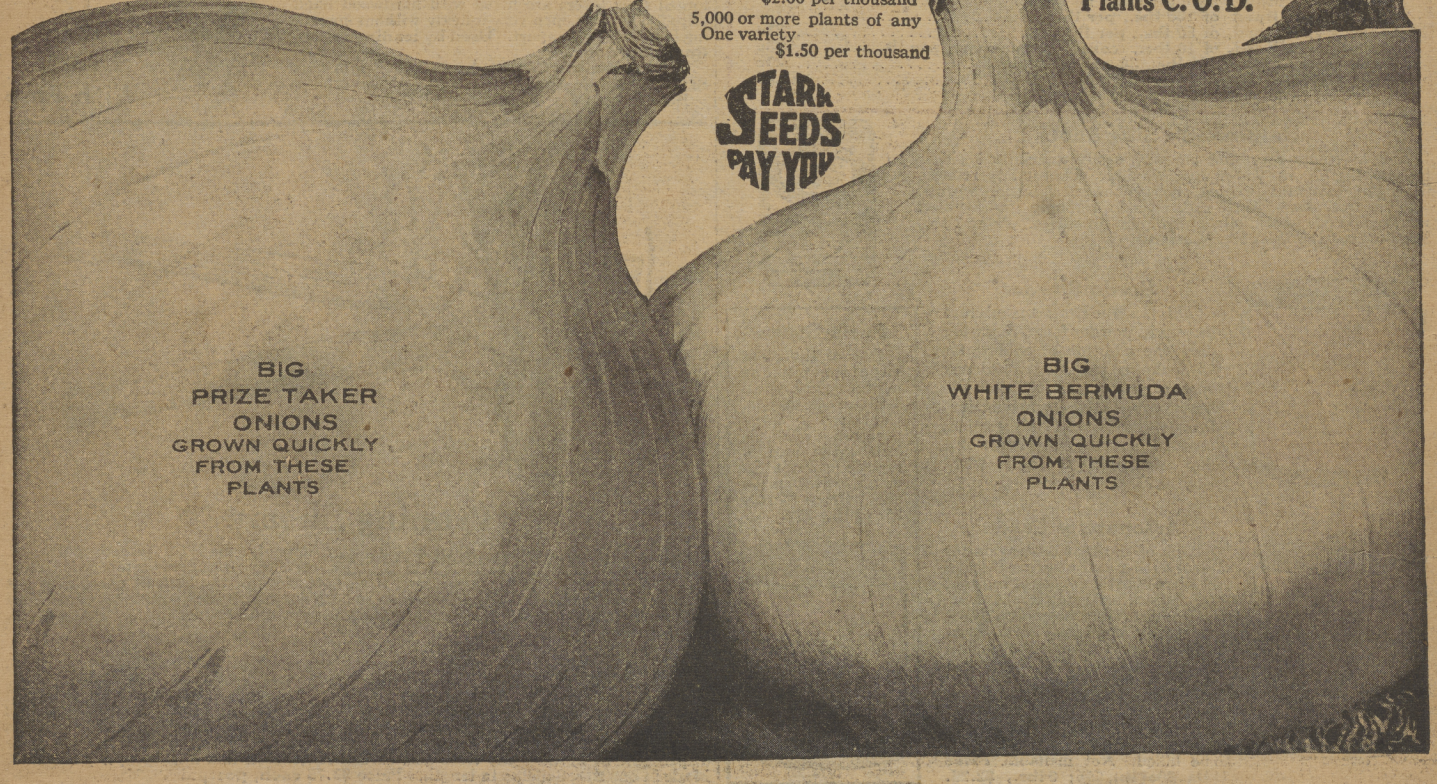
Prices by Express— You Pay Express Charges

1,000 to 4,000 plants of any One variety $2.00 per thousand
5,000 or more plants of any One variety $1.50 per thousand

We Do NOT Ship Cabbage or Onion Plants C. O. D.

Got Early Cabbage

"I had cabbage on the market very early. Glad I bought from you. Also, tomatoes on June 20. Sold them for 20 cts. a pound."—John Simpson, Lovington, Ill.



OLD OAK PROCESS Whole Root Trees

Trade Mark Registered U. S. PATENT OFFICE

Grown ONLY BY STARK BRO'S.

"OLD OAK PROCESS Whole Root Trees" is a Trade-Mark, registered in the U. S. PATENT OFFICE and owned by Stark Bro's. It denotes the Superior Whole Root Trees produced by our Over-a-100-Year-Old Nurseries. **Stark Bro's is the only nursery in the world that can supply genuine Old Oak Process Whole Root Trees.**

Charles Downing, than whom no higher fruit authority has ever lived, said:—**"Large quantities of trees are propagated by using pieces of roots. This practice considered as tending to debilitate and reduce vitality—the seat of vital life in fact resting in the Natural Crown (the point where wood cells blend into root cells) and that once destroyed cannot be renewed. But one healthy, permanent tree can ever be grown from a single seedling stock."**

A Whole-Root Tree is "Worth The Price of 10 Piece-Root Trees"

Naturally, our trees cannot be sold at "Bargain Prices"—though ours are most **reasonable prices,** because by growing millions we reduce costs and also improve the quality. These OLD OAK PROCESS Whole Root Trees develop into big, husky, fast-growing, young-bearing fruit trees.

As you know, the roots are the "feeders"—the foundation of a tree. If the tree is grown from a whole root, it has **more** roots, of course. Therefore, it has more roots to FEED WITH. These trees will quickly extend their root systems downward in all directions—take firm grip on the soil—eagerly suck up strength—shoot upward like a healthy out-doors boy—**come into bearing young and live and bear big crops long years after "cheap," weak, piece-root trees have died and been cut up for kindling.**

All Stark Trees Are "Born" in Our Famous Selected Scion Orchards

In these orchards, we practiced "bud selection" for generations before that branch of horticultural science became known to horticulturists in general.

In our propagating orchards, trees are propagated (grown) from selected, heaviest bearing, healthiest strains of fruit trees.

Only the BEST are given place. Diseases and tree faults and flaws are absolutely kept out of our orchards.

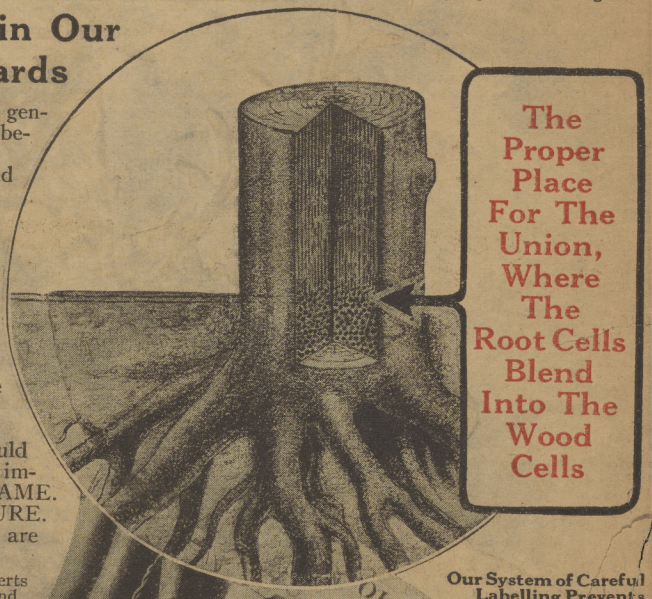
These Propagating Orchards contain a collection of Superior Strains of all leading varieties collected for over half a century from every section of American and Foreign Countries. No such complete collection of Improved Strains exists anywhere else in the world.

This is an expensive practice, to be sure.

But, without it, we could NOT be SURE and YOU could NOT be SURE that our varieties were of the most profitable improved Superior Strains and were absolutely TRUE TO NAME. It is cheaper **in the long run,** for BOTH of us to be SURE.

In these Propagating Orchards, all buds and scions are cared for as watchfully as though they were diamonds.

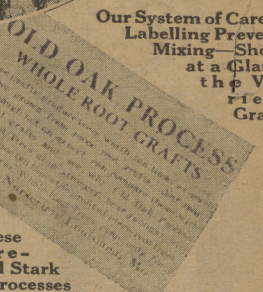
Every tree is labelled. Each variety is given special attention by experts who KNOW how to induce the trees to produce VIGOROUS scions and buds. Then—those scions and buds are cut only by men of **10 to 30** years' experience—men to whom the good name of Stark Trees is as dear as it is to any of the Stark family—tried and true and trusted men. Scions and buds of only **one** strain are cut at a time by each one of these experts. Mixing is made almost an impossibility. This takes time, of course—and time means money. But—it is all done to PROTECT YOU—and our good name.



The Proper Place For The Union, Where The Root Cells Blend Into The Wood Cells

Our Whole Root Grafts

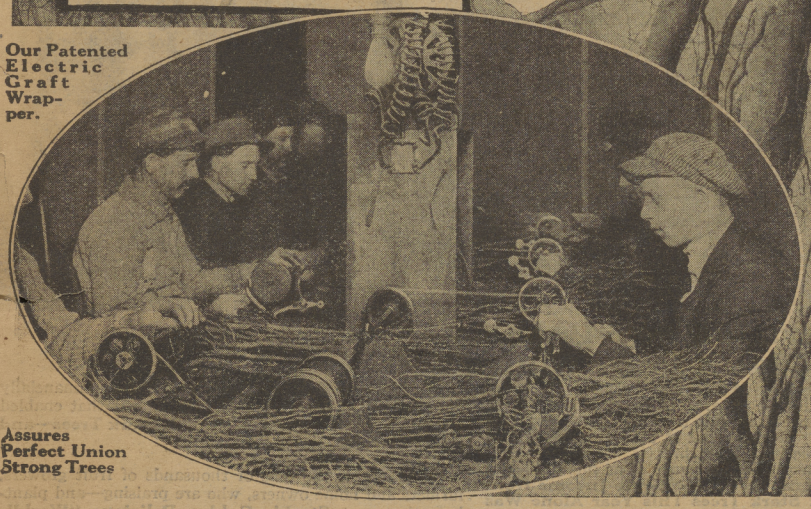
are made with our own Special Patented Electric Graft Wrapper. (See photo in oval below). It avoids all the errors of old-fashioned hand wrapping—makes a tight, compact wrap, and **assures a perfect union of root cells and wood cells** (see photo in circle above—at right) and produces a tree without blemish, and one that will make quick growth in nursery row and orchard.



Our System of Careful Labelling Prevents Mixing—Shows at a Glance the Variety Grafted.

These careful Stark Processes require facilities and an organization that the smaller nurseries cannot command.

The Remarkable Roots of Stark Bro's PATENTED Trade Mark Whole Root Trees

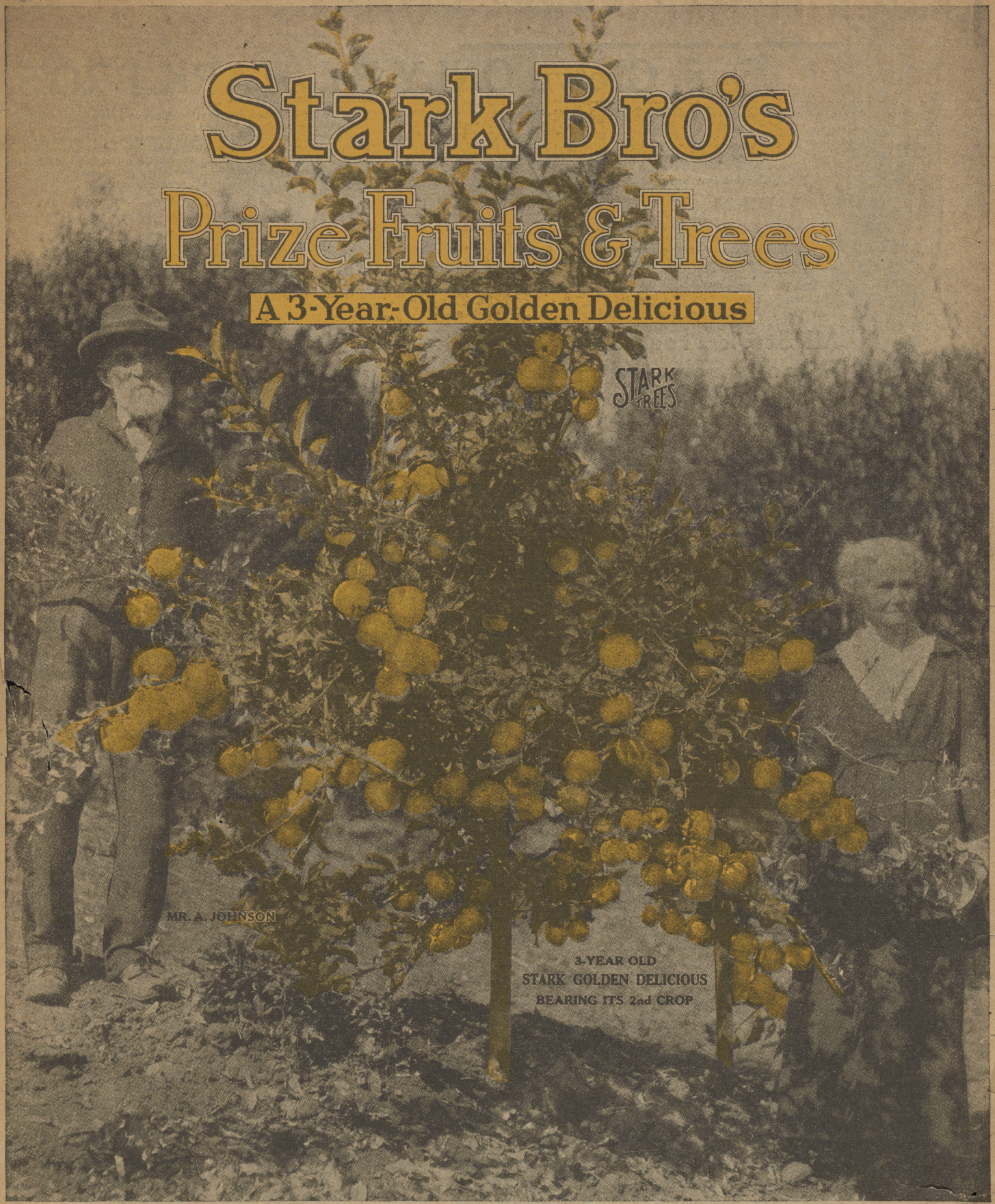


Our Patented Electric Graft Wrapper.

Assures Perfect Union Strong Trees

Stark Bro's Prize Fruits & Trees

A 3-Year-Old Golden Delicious



$3,000.00 When 65 Years Old—$40,000.00 at 86 Years
Stark Trees Make Poor Man Rich

Above photo of 3-year-old Stark's Golden Delicious tree in A. Johnson's orchard; bearing big crop. This tree bore a fine crop the 2nd year after planting—and is loaded with apples again this year. **Mr. and Mrs. Johnson in photo above.**

A. Johnson of Kansas City, Mo., broke down in health and retired from the grocery business with only $3,000.00 "to his name"—at 65 years of age.

price—and then cleared it himself, all alone. He wrote us about what kind of an orchard to "put out." We told him what variety of fruit trees to plant—and how to care for them. He says that at that time he "didn't know an apple tree from a peach."

Today Mr. Johnson is the owner of as fine a 40-acre orchard as anyone can boast. **His Gross Income from His 40-Acres of Stark Trees This Year Alone Was $13,000.00.** He recently refused $40,000.00 cash for

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